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PUPILS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS NOT TARDY DURING LAST MONTH.

Superintendent W. S. Deffenbaugh Gives Out List in the Several Grades and Various Rooms.

ENROLLMENT IS OVER 2,000

Seventh Grade in Second, Third and Fourth Wards and 1 and 2 in the West Side Will Get Banners For Not Having Tardy Mark Mark.

Superintendent W. S. Deffenbaugh this morning gave out his report of the borough schools for the fifth month. There was a total enrollment of 2,647 with a percentage of 96. Grade 7 of the Fourth, Second and Third Wards and grades 1 and 2 of the West Side will receive banners for having had no tardy marks during the month. Following are the room averages and the names of the pupils who attended school every day last month:

Fourth Ward.

Miss Beulah Francis, Grade 9, 91%. Carolyn Chamberlin, Helen Hyatt, Nellie Jeffries, Myrtle Latney, Eliza Munson, Mary McConnell, Berthena Shaw, Ella Wetherlee, Aaron Goodman, Louis Llardy, Hugh Mason, Clarence McDonald, James Ryland, Albert Rose, Frank Showman, Ross Showman.

Miss McGary, Grade 8, 98%. Ivan Dietz, John Fentello, William Hoover, Ben Marietta, Chauncey Mitchell, Clyde Reynolds, Albert Rottler, Donald Snyder, Dana Wright, Elizabeth Gemas, Lorine Haas, Elinor Horner, Ruth Newberg, Eula Satterfield, Rosy Spittler.

Miss Nelle Stillwagon, Grade 7, 98 9-17%. Fraley Barb, Paul Buttermore, Walter Clabaugh, Russell Englerka, Floyd Johnston, Clark Lessig, Norman Landman, Junior Marshall, Harry Meekes, Karl F. Marietta, Henry Newberg, Charles Parker, John Rankin, Israel Vogel, Elizabeth Buzzard, Mary Bitner, Lucy Bitner, Edna Bengel, Helen Enos, Ruth Moxley, Mary Marsh, Elizabeth Pendleton, Margaret Rose, Ethel Ruth, Emilie Schuyler, Ella Vogel.

Miss Gilmore, Grade 6, 95%. Mary Aline Atkinson, Helen Buttermore, Ana Jean Randolph, Martha Schmitz, Nellie Stillwagon, Helen Shaw, Louise Woods, Josephine Zimmerman, Mayano Burd, James Coughenour, Isadore Featherman, Donald Kurtz, Samuel Rankin, Joseph Stillwagon, Jordon Taylor.

Miss Lytle, Grade 5, 91% Ruth Buttermore, Fay Collins, Foilein Flannigan, Ina Halfhill, Beulah Miller, May Haas, Betty Newberg, Jean Patterson, Marie Rist, Emma Mary Shaw, Margaret Stafford, Harry Bates, James Balsley, William Davis, Harold Horner, George Kerfout, Acellia Lambert, Roy Linninger, John Lard, Merritt Lessig, Louis Lohr, Harry Millard, George Ryland, Robert Vandergrift, Isadore Vogle.

Miss Shaw, Grade 4, 93%. Francis Dugald, Harry Dugald, Russell Durnell, Edward Moxley, George Morton, Bryan Nabors, Dewey Rist, Frank Richter, Glen Rush, Louis Conn, Sidney Stahl, Fred Strawn, Sophia Coughenour, Mary Furtney, Helen Grey, Ella Herwick, Mary Joseph, Lady Koontz, Helen Levy, Leona Showman, Maysle Wilson, Estella Martin, Ruth Beraldy.

Miss Mabel Stillwagon, Grade 3, 98%. Irene Buttermore, Martha Cypher, Jean Enos, Beasie Goolman, Elizabeth Huffman, Margaret Hetzel, Frances Halfhill, Wilhemina Kall, Carmella Lollo, Lucy Lollo, Frances Leeper, Vada Ludjak, Louise Rankin, Mary Ellen Ryland, Irene Vandergrift, Lara Whetzel, Merle McDonald, Joseph Bittner, Edward Conn, Harry Dunstan, Virgilio Fenlello, Freeman Franks, Roger Lininger, Edgar Richter, Victor Toomy, Warren Halbritter, Kenneth Fitts.

Miss Anna McDifftt, Grade 2, 92%. Marie Gannon, Jennie Fenlello, Ruth Levy, Mary Lolak, Venes Mattlews, Mary Presser, Gladys Rush, Katherine Shaw, Nellie Showman, Fannie Stein, Katherine Falty, May Beighley, Clyde Freshhon, Frank Davis, Harold Dunold, Pany Hayes, Reid Pendleton, Leo Rist, James Stahl, Lewis Younkin, Howard Steible, Daniel McMillan and James Whipkey.

Miss Harriet Berger, Grade 1, Francis Glenn, Louise Buttermore, Stella Bates, Isabel Durnell, Mildred Herwick, Irene Hyatt, Bertha Jones, Helen Rush, Louise Schell, Myrtle McDowell.

Second Ward.

F. W. Jones, Grade 7, 95%, Clara Mae Critchfield, Mary Galasso, Emma Sandusky, Helen Schuyler, Foster Critchfield, Cataldo Corrado, Harry Connell, Carl Frantz, Eldon Forsythe, Samuel Grazz, Dewalt McClay, Joseph Noland, Dominick Rubeo, Harry Scott, Joseph Chalfonte, Emerson Stillwagon, Presley Smith.

Miss Kathryn Francis, Grade 6, Walter Adams, Albert Corrado, Fred Newmyer, George Rusnack, William Sandusky, Robert Goodwin, Tony Palladino, Karl Widmer, Elizabeth Evans, Marie McClure, Wilhelmina Rottler, Florence Rottler, Helen Zima, Viola Callahan, Jennie Marinelli, Helen Mitchell, Anna Schuller, Ethel Vogel, Zea Lemis, Edward Bishop.

Miss Artis, Grade 5, 95%, Edward Archibald, Frederick Brown, William Buttermore, Martin Caller, James Dull, Frank Desmone, John Kennedy, Frank Letchliter, John Ridgway, Harry Tulley, John Zima, Mary Bell, Clara Bell Burks, Anna Mary Colborn, Bertha Powell, Tressa Panzella, Emma Rusnack, Mary Bell Rue, Pearl Snyder.

O. P. Moser, Grade 4, 93%, Horace Atkins, Austin Atkins, Charles Askey, Willie Hahn, Gilbert Silcox, Bernard Brodigan, Walter Widmer, Brenford Dull, Elenor DeMuth, Loretta Pearl Hatfield, Katherine Rose, Lorine Rottler, Loretta Rottler, Ternandino Rueo, Frieda Schuler, Eliza Bell Smith, Jennie Weaver.

Miss Parkhill, Grade 3, 96%. George Bishop, Wayne Buttermore, Damon Critchfield, George Cunningham, Gabriel Dauria, Herbert Ellis, Arthur Hatfield, Frederick Munk, Charles Mitchell, Mike Perella, Walter Rusnack, Harry Sheppard, John Shademan, George Zima, Elizabeth Franks, Ruth Goodwin, Josephine Mascari, Jane McGuire, Blanche Richter, Catherine Ridgway, Anna Weaver, Ruth Humbert, Irene Clifford, Margaret C. rotti.

Harriet Minder, Grade 2 A, 96%, Joseph Baker, Charles Cockrell, Carl Desmone, Hamilton Penn, Harry Schaeffer, Clarence Swallop, Sam Scardapane, Tancredo Scardapane, Mary E. Bitner, Josephine Buttermore, Lily Brenson, Georgia Dixon, Olive Hill, Lillian McCune, Wilma Monk, Leah Noskiss, Ella Rottler, Sophia Silcox, Amalia Schuler, Josephine Weaver, Jeannette Caplin, Mary Panzella.

Miss Culler, Grade 2B, 94%. J. W. Irwin, James Snyder, Edgar Miller, Charles Margolia, Paul Cockerell, Robert Swan, Donald Dull, Robert Gemas, Mary McMillan, Viola Morris, Katie Rubeo, Mary Marnella, Elizabeth Poro, Lily Ballada, Mary Morgot, Margaret Sandusky, Margaret Richter, Josephine Savage.

Miss Kenyon, Grade 1, 95%. Frances Buttermore, Helen Cunningham, Cora Blanche DeMuth, Jean Hawkins, Mary McCune, Nunza Marzarrella, Irene Noskkiss, Jennie Pittsment, Helen Smythe, Lucy Ridgway, Justa Sandusky, Lilian Capon, Clark Baker, Philip Brown, Grant Clark, Lawrence Desmone, George Gemas, Leon Mauzy, Joseph Millen, Francis Pfaff, Paul Rensler, Robert Rusnack, Raymond Scott, Roy Stewart, William Williams, Aaron Schaeffer.

Third Ward.

W. E. Atkinson, Grade 8, 96%. Ruth Lohr, Nellie Guard, Maralloyd Stillwagon, Harriet Sparks, Bessie Solsson, Mabel Skiles, Ina Skiles, Edna Melnick, Nora Shank, Jean Nicholson, Katie Lenhart, Lottie Kinsbursky, Ray Goodwin, Preston Etling, James Hirleman, Regis McGann, Ralph Collins.

Miss Golden, Grade 7, 98%. Samuel King, Scott Highberger, William Hirleman, John Bennett, Bennie Latney, George Sherrick, Paul Brickman, Randal Slaughenwhite, Thomas Guard, Albert McManis, Dalton Whipkey, Clyde Raymond, Alvin Cunningham, Marian Shaw, Ethel Dix, Katie Long, Olive Bowlin, Marie Cox, Martha Heckler, Lottie Morgan, Nello Cox, Catherine Springer, Elizabeth Dix.

Miss Ida Stillwagon, Grade 6, 97%. Mary Rosenblum, Ethel Dunn, Christine Flanigan, Frances Woodall, Sara

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SUIT IS ENTERED.

Mary Sansone Wants Fruit Bill From Genovese Firm in Uniontown.

UNIONTOWN, Feb. 11.—Mary Sansone has entered suit against Matilda and Lorenzo Genovese to recover $185.02 alleged to be due on a bill for fruit and produce. Both parties live in Uniontown.

Smoking Prohibited.

A new order on the Pennsylvania railroad absolutely prohibits smoking about stations or warehouses on the part of employes.

Mr. Fairbank's Holding No Ill Feeling

United Press Telegram.

ROME, Feb. 11.—Former Vice President C. W. Fairbanks, while preparing to leave here for Berlin, declared today:

"My feelings were not hurt in the slightest by the Vatican's cancellation of my appointment to call upon the Pope. I look upon the incident as a trifling one, for I think I appreciate the position that the Pope is placed in, and consequently am not disposed to feel any resentment. If it were to be done over I should think I would do the same.

"I certainly would not insult the Methodist Episcopal Church by refusing to address the local church when I had an appointment to do so preserve what might be called my eligibility to call at the Vatican.

"The Vatican has certain rules, and I should think it should assume to know what rules are the best for the government of its actions, and I am sorry that the incident resulted in any feeling."

Former President Roosevelt has an appointment to address the Methodists on his arrival here, but it is supposed h ewill call on the Pope first.

PATIENT AND NURSE BURNED TO DEATH

Early Morning Fire Destroys Home, Fatally Burns Husband and Cremates Wife and Nurse.

CHARDON, O., Feb. 11.—(Special.) Fire destroying the home of Hubert Hayes, near here this morning, resulted in Mrs. Hayes' and the family nurse, Mrs. James Covert, being burned to death. Hayes was probably fatally burned.

Mrs. Hayes was an invalid and so weakened by her illness that she could not be rescued.

KING BEATEN.

Decision in Favor of Judge Patton in Contested Election Case.

KITTANNING, Pa., Feb. 11.—The election contest instituted by J. W. King, Democratic candidate for Judge of Armstrong county, against Judge Willis D. Patton, Republican, resulted in a victory for Patton yesterday morning, when the special court composed of Judge James M. Galbraith of Butler, Judge Harry Wilson of Clarion, and Judge S. J. Telford of Indiana, handed down an opinion upholding the constitutionality of the act of 1899, under which the contest was brought, and dismissing the contest because the petitioner had failed to file a bond of $20,000, as ordered by the court.

EIGHTY KILLED

By the Eruption of a Volcano in Spain, Reports Say.

PORT LISBON, Feb. 11.—(Special.) Eighty persons were killed by an eruption of the volcano Poas today, according to reports. It is declared that this was the worst eruption in the history of the volcano, and that stones weighing 200 pounds were shot out of the crater, and fell within a radius of several miles distant.

JURY DISCHARGED.

Only Points of Law to Be Settled in the Masontown Suits.

UNIONTOWN, Feb. 11.—The jury sitting in the suits against the Masontown Councilmen was discharged yesterday and the court will pass on the points of law involved. There were no facts for the jury to pass on.

Body of Baby Found.

The dead body of an infant was found along the railroad near Mt. Sterling works yesterday. It is the second body found near the same place within a few weeks. Deputy Coroner Brady of Masontown, is investigating.

Feuhrer Wants License.

George Feuhrer is circulating a petition for retail liquor license at his place at the end of the Leisenring street car line. James Keegan will apply for a wholesale license at Everson.

THE GRAY HAIRED VETERANS MEET.

Assemble to Do Honor to the Memory of Abraham Lincoln.

PROMINENT PEOPLE PRESENT

They Were Perhaps Never So Touched as When the Program Was Being Rendered—Many Guests Were in Attendance at Meeting.

Gray haired veterans, members of the Ladies' Circle to the G. A. R., No. 100, and a large number of guests assembled yesterday afternoon in Malta hall to honor the memory of Abraham Lincoln. In the audience were five representatives from the Union Veteran Legion, and seven members of the William F. Kurtz Post No. 104, G. A. R., five representatives from the Ladies' Circle of Uniontown, the Department President, Mrs. Mary Howard, of Philadelphia, and Counselor Miss Jennie Hayes, of Hazelwood. The affair was held under the auspices of the Ladies' Circle. The program was appropriate and perhaps never were the veterans so touched as during the rendition of the impressive program. Mrs. Nettie Lee, President of the Circle, presided.

The program opened with the Lord's Prayer repeated by the audience. The reading of the Scripture lesson was in charge of Mrs. Harry Rodgers, the chaplain. The next number was the rendition of the "Battle Hymn of the Republic," by the audience. The next period was taken up by the presentation of the flag of our country by the Conductor, Mrs. Nannie Ritchey, Assistant Conductor Mrs. W. B. Getchell and Color Guard, Mrs. Henderson. A more beautiful and impressive service was never witnessed. It brought tears to the eyes of many of the veterans as well as wives and daughters of the veterans. A selection "Guard the Flag," followed. Mrs. Harry T. Crossland read a brief history of the life of Abraham Lincoln, after which Mrs. F. O. Goodwin rendered a vocal solo, "Pennsylvania," in a very creditable manner. "Lincoln's Address at Gettysburg," by Miss Carolne Chambers followed. Rev. J. L. Proudfit of the First Presbyterian Church delivered an address in which he paid a glowing tribute to the honored statesman. Rev. Proudfit spoke of Lincoln's modesty, his simplicity and honesty as well as his childhood surroundings. A salute to the flag followed. Mrs. Mary Howard, the Department President, gave a brief but interesting talk along the line of work which is being done by the Ladies' Circle throughout the country. Mrs. Howard stated that in order to keep the Ladies' Circle in existence they are now admitting the daughters, granddaughters and grand nieces of the veterans and the sons of veterans as honorary members.

Miss Jennie Hayes, counselor, followed with an address equally as interesting as that delivered by Mrs. Howard. Captain Edmund Dunn was the next speaker. Captain Dunn in speaking of the flag presentation said: "I think it is the most beautiful and inspiring service ever witnessed and never before was I so deeply touched by the service as I was this afternoon. I only wish that the Circle could in some manner arrange to have a public presentation so our boys and girls could witness it."

A. J. Cunningham, a member of the Post and Legion, gave an interesting talk. Mr. Cunningham stated that during the past year 72,000 veterans had been called away by the grim reaper and he predicted that in 15 years from now there would be few veterans left. He further stated that now the ranks are decreasing so that it is impossible to have a Union Veteran Legion and the few surviving members will be mustered in the Connellsville Legion. He urged that the Ladies' Circle do all within their power to keep the Circle in existence. Jacob Morgan was the next veteran to speak. His talk was very short and was of a humorous nature.

A social hour and refreshments, consisting of sandwiches, olives, pickles, cheese, cake, ice cream and coffee, were served. Inserted in the ice cream were small silk flags as souvenirs. Yesterday was the first time that the Circle has celebrated Lincoln's birthday and from the success that it was it is likely that the affair will be an annual event. The meeting was preceded by the regular meeting of the Circle at which an address was delivered by Mrs. Mary Howard, Department President.

Among the out of town guests present were: Mrs. Amanda Williams, Conductor; Mrs. R. C. Finley, Patriotic Instructor; Mrs. Louisa Debolt, Mrs. James Lemon, Mrs. Catherine Smith, President of the Uniontown Circle; Mrs. Charles Cavin and daughter, Miss Minnie, of Pittsburg.

State Constables at Somerset.

Four State Constables are to be located at Somerset next week.

B. & O. Fireman Loses an Arm In Collision

Within the past two days two employes of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company, met with accidents which resulted in the loss of an arm. C. W. Smith of Union Bridge, Md., a fireman was the second victim. Smith was working in the yards this morning and was riding on the tender of his engine when an engine coming in the opposite direction ran into him. He was removed to the Cottage State hospital where it was found that his right arm was so badly mashed that amputation was necessary.

Joseph Carney, employed at Sligo, had his third finger amputated on his right hand as the result of an accident with which he met while at work yesterday afternoon. The injured member was almost severed from his hand when he was admitted to the hospital.

EIGHTY-SEVEN LIQUOR LICENSE APPLICATIONS

Last Year the Total Number Filed Was 82 of Which 72 Were Granted.

UNIONTOWN, Feb. 11.—Eighty-seven applications are on file for licenses and more will come in between now and Monday. This number already exceeds that of last year when 82 filed their papers. Of the 82 filed last year, 72 were granted.

The latest parties to file their applications are Edward Byrne for Hotel Republic at Republic, in Redstone township; Johnson Brewing Company, in Menallen and German townships, and William T. Spalter at Hotel Smock at Smock, in Franklin township.

WILL ELKINS JUMP?

Senator LaFollette Speculating on Uncle Steve's Intention.

MADISON, Wis., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Senator LaFollette in an editorial in his magazine today asks, "Is Senator Elkins of West Virginia, preparing to jump off the reservation and become a real progressive?"

He cites "Uncle Steve's" action asking for an investigation of the cost of living to ascertain if the new tariff is concerned, as a confession that West Virginia is getting only the "drippings" under the tariff.

FELL INTO AREA.

Harry Thoman Took a Tumble on Grape Alley Wednesday Night.

Harry Thoman, while walking along Grape alley Wednesday night, fell into an opening leading to the cellar of the Brashear property, corner Grape alley and Water street. He was so badly stunned by the fall that it required the assistance of several men to get him out of the opening.

It is said that the opening is exceedingly dangerous, being covered by a loose cellar door.

SERMON ON LINCOLN

Will Be Preached by Rev. Watson at Christian Church Sunday Evenig.

On Sunday evening at the Christian Church the pastor, C. M. Watson, will preach on the subject, "Religion of Abraham Lincoln.' The service will be a patriotic one at which the choir will render special music accompanied by an orchestra.

By means of stereopticon views the life of Lincoln will be illustrated.

HOME FROM CLEVELAND.

H. P. Snyder on Business Mission in the Forest City.

H. P. Snyder returned home last evening from a business mission in Cleveland, O. Mrs. Snyder and son, H. P. Jr., who have been visiting Mrs. David Roberts and Miss Jean R. Snyder at New Castle, accompanied him home.

FULLER IS 77 TODAY.

Chief Justice is Serving Twenty-Second Year in Court.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—Chief Justice Fuller of the United States Supreme Court, is celebrating his 77th birthday anniversary today. He is serving his 22nd consecutive year of court.

TRADED JOBS BUT LAWSUIT IS OUTCOME OF THE DEAL.

William P. Franks Says H. H. Burwell Misrepresented Facts to Him in Negotiations.

BALLINGER ABSENT

When Investigating Committee Went Into Session Today.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 11.—(Special.)—The Ballinger-Pinchot investigating committee went into executive session today. Glavis, Pinchot and others interested were present, but Ballinger was absent.

The committee adjourned until Monday after a short session as the attorney for Glavis was unable to be present.

Pinchot's attorney requested the committee to subpoena James A. Garfield, former Secretary of the Interior, to testify in the investigation of the present Secretary.

The Sextuple Murderer Is Electrocuted

United Press Telegram.

RICHMOND, Va., Feb. 11.—Howard Little, the sextuple murderer of Buchanan county, was executed at the penitentiary here today, and had as his companion, in his voyage into the unknown, William Blake, the negro, who assaulted an aged white woman. Both were electrocuted.

Little last fall killed Mrs. Jetti Justice, George Meadows and his wife and their three children. Little's wife was the only witness to the wholesale slaughter, but she was not allowed to testify at the trial.

Little is said to have confessed to his spiritual adviser the commission of other heinous crimes besides those for which he suffered death. These crimes included the murder of a United States Marshal in Kentucky.

Aged Couple Take Lives; In Compact

United Press Telegram.

HAMILTON, O., Feb. 11.—Poor and discouraged over lack of means to sustain life or earn money, Henry Stabernacker, aged 80 years, and his wife, Matilda, aged 76, committed suicide at the home of their son-in-law here today.

The body of the wife was found in the bathroom, with a broken rope about her withered neck, while the husband was found in bed. Both had taken poison, the wife seeking a rope to make her death doubly certain. Stabernacker threatened to take his life three days ago, and then was persuaded out of the idea apparently, by a minister.

TEN ABOVE

Was the Weather Record at 5 O'clock This Morning.

The mercury took a drop yesterday afternoon and last evening, the cold weather continuing. Last evening 32 was recorded and this morning at 5 o'clock it was 10 above.

The river is slowly rising. It went from 3.25 feet last evening to 3.48 this morning.

HANDING IT BACK.

Federal Sugar Company Agrees to Refund Unpaid Duties.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11—(Special.)—It is announced today that the Federal Sugar Company has agreed to refund to the government $100,000, representing unpaid duties on sugar imported, and on which reports were not made to the sugar inspectors.

Shot Herself Through Heart.

Miss Frances Floerckey, aged 22 years, of Philadelphia, committed suicide Wednesday night by shooting herself through the heart. Miss Floerckey was well known in Uniontown where she often visited.

WILL IS LEFT FOR PROBATE

James R. Mickey Disposes of His Property to Widow and Children—Two Cases Continued Because Witnesses Were Missing at This Time.

UNIONTOWN, Feb. 11.—The suit of H. H. Burwell against William P. Franks was taken up in court this morning. Burwell is suing to recover $1,100 on an agreement he and Franks made regarding the Standard Wood Fibre Company of Uniontown. Burwell agreed to get Franks in as manager of the company, it is said. This agreement was made October 11, 1906. Burwell was to give his job and 20 shares of the plaster company, valued at $1100, and a similar amount in cash. Burwell claims to have carried out his end of the agreement but Franks did not do his part.

Franks, in his defense, claims things were misrepresented to him. He admits the contract but thinks the stock Burwell secured from him sufficient compensation. He says he learns that Burwell was practically forced to resign. Franks took a job with the company but did not come to be manager. Statements concerning the financial condition of the plaster company, Franks says, were found to have been inaccurate and incorrect. The profits are not so large, the debts are larger than Burwell had said, and the $3,000 said to have been in the bank was checked out by Burwell, or a large part of it, at least.

In the suit of Albert Keister against John A. Clark, an action to recover a feed bill, the jury returned a verdict of $43.50 for the plaintiff, being the full amount and interest.

An affidavit for continuance was filed in the suit of Shaw and Brownfield against E. D. Fulton. Fulton claims T. J. Moyer, a material witness, is in Florida. His testimony is needed by the defense.

The suit of Allen Carson against the Baltimore & Ohio railroad was continued because John Beals, an important witness for the defense, is in Alaska and cannot testify.

The will of James R. Mickey, who died in Nicholson township on January 23, was left for probate today but cannot be probated until H. O. Woolsey, now in Florida, vouches for the signature. He and G. W. Enart witnessed the signature.

The will names Dr. M. H. Cloud as executor and William McCormick guardian of the three children, William P., Elizabeth H. and Martha N. Mickey. The farm, household goods, farming machinery, etc., are left to the widow for life. The house and lot in Fairchance can be sold at any time the widow and executor think best. All money left at the time of the deponent's death is to be divided equally among the children.

Attorney John Duggan, Jr., was named master in the divorce suit of Raffaele Di Vinci against Rosa Di Vinci. A libel in divorce has been filed by Stella C. Lewis of South Brownsville against Ray M. Lewis. Desertion is charged.

A settlement has been made in the suit of the estate of William Preece of Dunbar against the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Damage was claimed for a strip of land taken by the railroad at Dunbar. Viewers awarded the plaintiff $2,100, but a compromise was agreed upon today and the case settled for $1,800.

MORE SNOW THREATENED.

Booked for Tonight and a Cold Wave Tomorrow.

The Weather Works got busy today and after looking over conditions throughout there is some more winter weather due for shipment here, the month of February being the real winter month in this section.

This is the noon weather bulletin: Heavy snows tonight and Saturday, and colder on Saturday.

CELEBRATE ANNIVERSARY

Knights of Pythias Discuss Plans for Affair in the Near Future.

At the regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias held last evening in Odd Fellows hall, plans were discussed for the celebration of the 47th anniversary of the institution of the order of the Knights of Pythias.

The guests will include only the members of the order and the affair will be of an informal nature.

Engineers at Work.

Western Maryland engineers are at work in the vicinity of Deal, Somerset county, on the line of the proposed extension of the connection between Cumberland and Connellsville.

CZARINA IS AT DEATH'S DOOR.

Russia's Queen Is Sinking Rapidly and Death Is Only a Matter of a Short Time.

United Press Telegram.

EYDTKUHNEN, East Prussia, Feb. 11.—The Czarina's condition is the subject of most alarming reports that were received here today. Her condition has been known to be a serious one, but it has grown worse, and she is now unable to longer recognize her husband and children.

The government is exercising the strictest censorship over all dispatches relating to the royal patient's illness.

The Czarina's condition is believed to be a sign of increasing mental weakness, as well as a physical sinking. She has been suffering from hysteria and melancholia and her mind is unbalanced. She is under constant attendance, which was begun some time ago.

It is believed that her death is but a matter of a short time.

AT THE MERCY OF CHAMARRO.

Revolutionary General Mobilizes 3,000 Men and Can Strike Managua When He Is Ready.

United Press Telegram.

BLUEFIELDS, Via Wireless Colon, Feb. 11.—General Chammarro has mobilized 3,000 well trained soldiers at his command and says that the force can capture Managua whenever it is deemed fitting.

This news was brought in today by several couriers who have arrived within the last few hours.

General Mena is reported to have been victorious in the battle of Garita. He was defeated at Santa Clara, but succeeded in holding the government troops in check while General Chammaro advanced his troops to Managua.

There were 26 of the Provisional army killed and 60 wounded in the battle of Santa Clara.

PRESENT OUTLOOK BLUE FOR LEAGUE.

Even Tom Haymond Is Said to Be Pessimistic Over 1910 Prospects.

GRAFTON THROWS UP SPONGE

Will Only Consider a Proposition For Strong Eight Club Circuit--Uniontown Magnate Said To Be Tired of Footing All the Bills.

The Pennsylvania & West Virginia league apparently has blown up. That there is practically little hope of reorganizing the circuit for 1910 comes from an authority who can be regarded as the highest within the circuit on matters pertaining to baseball—Thomas Haymond. Haymond says the last hope of reorganization has passed and whether there will be a team in Connellsville this year seems decidely dubious.

Grafton has dropped out of the circuit. For a time the Grafton people were willing to go along if a good six club circuit could be organized. They finally tired of the procrastinating that has been going on in the league and yesterday announced that it would have to be eight clubs or nothing. Haymond cannot see eight clubs.

The West Virginians will organize a little four club league of their own, but it will not be along the lines of the Pennsylvania & West Virginia circuit. It will be a jerk-water organization of semi-professionals. The death knell of the circuit, it seems, has come at last too late, perhaps, for Connellsville and Uniontown to find congenial berths elsewhere.

This news will come as a hard blow to the hopes and plans of Connellsville. With the 1910 team under contract, excepting the players reserved from last season, prospects here have been exceptionally bright. President Gronninger and others interested did not display sufficient energy to get things under way, but managed to keep the situation up in the air long enough to block any negotiations the Pennsylvania towns might make elsewhere. However, efforts to give Connellsville professional baseball will not be abandoned until the last chance has perished.

It is said that even had the league been reorganized the Uniontown team would not have fallen in line. President John Gibson has expressed himself as tired of bearing the brunt of the campaign year after year. The Uniontown team has probably spent more money than any two teams in the circuit, since the pennant winning fever struck that town. But a few men had to provide the sinews of war and the attendance has never, at any time, really justified the financial sacrifice.

High School Alumni Want New Members

At a special meeting of the Connellsville High School Alumni held last evening in the Y. M. C. A. parlors, several suggestions were made regarding plans for increasing the membership. Out of 300 graduates only 75 are members of the Alumni. Many of the graduates are under the impression that there are monthly dues attached. This is not the case. On forming the Alumni each member is assessed an initiation fee of $1.00. It was suggested that a literary contest be arranged between the local and Uniontown Alumni, that is if it meets with the approval of the two organizations. Spelling contests were also suggested and it is likely that before long final arrangements will be made for either of the two in order to increase the attendance and arouse the interest of the graduates of the local public schools. The meeting was an enthusiastic one and all present expressed themselves as being willing to assist in any entertainment that is planned for the good of the Alumni.

Union Veteran Legion Officers Are Installed

Largely attended was an enthusiastic meeting of the Union Veteran Legion held last evening in the Municipal building. During the early part of the meeting the following officers were installed: Colonel, C. H. Whiteley; Lieutenant Colonel, A. S. Haddock; Adjutant, Henry Kurtz; Sergeant, Edmund Dunn; Officer of the Day, A. J. Cunningham; Quartermaster, W. P. Clark; J. R. Kelsey, the Chaplain, was not present at the meeting and will be installed at the next monthly meeting. Captain Edmund Dunn was the installing officer.

William Eberhart of Scottdale, a member of Company G, 87th Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, was a new recruit mustered in. The annual celebration of Appomattox Day was discussed and final arrangements will likely be made at the March meeting. As heretofore the Legion and William F. Kurtz Post No. 101, G. A. R., will likely celebrate the event jointly.

COOK CAN'T PROVE IT.

May Have Reached the Pole But Has No Convincing Evidence.

Dr. Cook may have been at the North Pole—he may have struggled and toiled through the ice and snow until he reached the apex of the earth, but he has nothing to show for it. He is like some men who have labored hard all their lives and have nothing to show for their work. They spend everything; save nothing. How much better to save a little as you go along. Put something out of each pay in a savings account in the First National Bank of Connellsville; let it accumulate at 1% compound interest, and when you reach the evening of life you will have something to show for your work—enough to keep you in comfort and independence to the end of your days. One dollar opens an account.

WHY THEY FAIL

Most Pile Remedies Miss The Cause of Piles.

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LADIES' AID SOCIETY

Of the M. E. Church Elect Officers for Ensuing Year.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met yesterday afternoon at the parsonage on South Pittsburg street and re-elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. George Powell; Vice President, Mrs. J. A. Zimmerman; Secretary, Mrs. George McClay, and Treasurer, Mrs. E. Dunn. Thirty-six members were present. During the business session the ladies decided to hold a chicken and biscuit supper in the church on the evening of March 24.

THE THIRD DEGREE

At the Soisson Tonight, Pleased Big Audience in Uniontown.

"The Third Degree" comes to the Soisson theatre this evening with an excellent, well balanced company of players. This remarkable play by Charles Klein may not capture the laurels of "The Lion and the Mouse," by the same author, but with the present company it will score many decided hits before the season closes.

At Uniontown last evening "The Third Degree" made a splendid impression.

G. A. R. MEETS

Wm. F. Kurtz Post to Gather at City Hall This Evening.

The regular monthly meeting of William F. Kurtz Post No 101, G. A. R., will be held this evening at 7.30 in the City Hall. Business of importance will be transacted and a large turnout of veterans is desired.

A Check Account

With the Citizens National Bank affords the safest and best way to pay your bills. You will be well pleased with this convenience as well as the time and expense it will save you. We cordially invite your account, subject to check. Citizens National Bank, Connellsville, Pa. Capital $100,000.00. Surplus and profits $108,000.00.

Board Meets This Evening.

The School Board will hold a special meeting this evening to consider again the contracts for the proposed addition to the High School.

Appointed Truant Officer.

The School Directors of Dunbar township have appointed A. L. Allen Truant Officer.

Three Drunks Sentenced.

Three drunks were before Burgess Evans this morning and are doing 72 hours each.

Have you tried our classified ad?

SOCIAL.

Afternoon Card Party.

Dainty appointments significant of St. Valentine's Day prevailed at a pretty card party at which Mrs. John Henry White was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home in South Prospect street in honor of her sister, Mrs. Sherman Welble of Pittsburg. A color scheme of red was carried out in the decorations and luncheon. Festooning of hearts and cupids adorned the chandeliers and doorways while tall vases of red carnations were artistically placed throughout the various rooms on the first floor. Six tables, four of bridge, and two of five hundred, were called into requisition. The tally cards were dainty heart-shaped affairs. Mrs. M. B. Shupe won the prize at bridge and Mrs. J. M. Young the five hundred prize.

At 5 o'clock luncheon was served. The ice cream was served in the shape of a heart. The growing of the ladies was very smart. The out of town guests present including the honor guests were Mrs. S. K. Reed, of Pt. Marion; Miss Erma Sackett, of Canada, Mrs. D. J. Johnson and Mrs. William Grey of Uniontown.

Valentine Entertainment.

The Young Peoples' Christian Union of the United Presbyterian Church held a very enjoyable Valentine party last evening in the church. The decorations were carried out in hearts and roses. The following program was rendered: Piano duet, Emma Watson and Mabel Jones; selection by a male quartette composed of William Griffith, John Davis, John Griffin and J. S. McKee; reading, Gertrude Sembower; vocal solo, Mrs. William Griffith; selection by the quartette; reading, Emma Huston; piano solo, Gertrude Sembower. Each guest brought a package containing some small articles. The packages numbering over 100 were sold and quite a neat sum was realized for the benefit of the society.

Refreshments were served by the following committee: Mrs. B. F. White, Mabel Daniels, Clara Patterson and Hazel Keffer. Albert Long, E. H. Norman, C. Elsley and Ida Fenner compose the social committee. The affair last evening marked the first of a series of social affairs planned by the society.

Birthday Surprise.

In commemoration of her birthday anniversary Mrs. A. D. Soisson was tendered a very delightful surprise last evening when about 25 of her friends assembled at the Royal Hotel to assist in celebrating the happy event. The affair was cleverly planned by a number of her friends and was marked by pretty appointments. Six tables were arranged in the parlor for five hundred, the amusement of the evening. After spending several hours around the card tables the guests adjourned to the spacious dining room where a charmingly arranged luncheon was served. The table decorations were carried out in a color scheme of red and white. Large bouquets of white lilies, narcissus and red carnations formed the floral decorations.

Today Ex-Burgess and Mrs. Soisson are quietly celebrating their seventh wedding anniversary.

Prettily Appointed Party.

Prettily appointed was a five hundred and fancy work party at which Mrs. S. M. Foust was hostess yesterday afternoon at her home on East Main street. The hours were from 2 until 6 o'clock. A color scheme of pink and white was cleverly carried out in all the appointments. Seven tables of five hundred were in play while about 20 ladies spent a pleasant afternoon at fancy work. The pretty tally cards were heart-shaped affairs adorned with cupids. Carnations formed the floral decorations.

At the conclusion of the games a beautifully arranged luncheon was served. Mrs. Foust had as her aides her daughter, Mrs. William Bilbartz of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Harry Dunn. Mrs. Harry Marietta of Fairchance was an out of town guest present.

Bridge and Five Hundred.

The Thursday Afternoon Card Club was charmingly entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Ruth Norris at her home on South Pittsburg street. The meeting was the first social one of the club for the current season. Four tables were called into play for the games, bridge and five hundred. Mrs. L. W. Allbird won the bridge prize while Miss Helen Feisinger captured the five hundred prize. A well appointed luncheon followed the games. Miss Ethnor Herpick will entertain the club Thursday afternoon, February 24, at her home on East Main street.

Buffet Luncheon.

Mrs. James B. Yohe of Shadyside, Pittsburg, is hostess at a buffet luncheon this afternoon in honor of Mrs. Sara B. Cochran of Dawson, who is spending several weeks at her Pittsburg home, Beechwood boulevard, and Mrs. Jess Bennett Yohe, a recent bride. Mrs. Yohe will entertain at a similar event tomorrow afternoon in honor of Mrs. Cochran and Mrs. Yohe. Mrs. Cochran expects to leave soon for Daytona, Fla., to spend the remainder of the winter.

Evening at Cards.

Mrs. J. L. Evans and H. G. May were the winners of the dainty prizes awarded last evening at the regular meeting of the I. N. I. I. Club held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. R. S. McKee on Main street, West Side. Four tables were in play until midnight when a well arranged luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hyatt will entertain the club Thursday evening, Feb. 24.

Missionary Society Meets.

Fifty ladies were present at the regular meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Trinity Lutheran Church held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Keck on East Main street. The meeting opened with devotional exercises followed by the regular business session. Refreshments were served during the social hour.

A One O'clock Luncheon.

Mrs. James Sherbondy was hostess at a prettily appointed 1 o'clock luncheon and quilting yesterday afternoon at her home at Dawson. Ten ladies were present. The affair marked the last of a series of similar events given by Mrs. Sherbondy.

Special Meeting.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. will hold a special meeting tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Business of importance will be transacted and a large attendance is desired.

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PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hankins are the proud parents of a baby boy which arrived this morning at 8.30 o'clock. Mrs. Hankins was formerly Miss Florence Leibiger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leibiger, of West Peach street.

Large granite frying pans, on Saturday, for 10c. Artman's.

Mrs. James A. Russell and children, and Mrs. S. E. Tannehill will leave tomorrow for Morgantown to visit their sister, Mrs. C. A. Albright, before leaving for their new home at Brownsville, Tex.

Mrs. Charles Cavin and daughter, Miss Minale, of Pittsburg, returned home today after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kurtz, of Church Place.

Mrs. Mary Howard Department President of the Ladies' Circle, No. 100, to the G. A. R., and Miss Jennie Hayes of Homestead, Councilor of the Circle, went to McKeesport this afternoon to attend a meeting to be held this evening by the McKeesport Circle.

Mrs. Sherrick Enos and boy of Scottdale, are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Millard of Trevor street.

J. L. Kendall of Pittsburg, is in town today on business.

A. J. Crawshaw of Pittsburg, was in town yesterday on business.

Mrs. Charles Reagan of Broad Ford, was shopping in town this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Purinton are in Pittsburg today.

Charles E. Stout arrived in Connellsville this morning from Morgantown but will return again this afternoon to resume directing the rehearsals for the minstrel performance to be given on February 23 by the West Virginia University. Plans are being made to give the performance in Fairmont on February 25.

5-qt. granite pudding pans for 10c, on Saturday. Artman's.

Mr. and Mrs. George S. Connell of East Main street, were in Uniontown last evening. They attended the performance of "The Third Degree" at the Grand.

Miss Mabel Rhodes of Pittsburg, is here on a visit to friends. Miss Rhodes recently recovered from an operation for appendicitis at a Pittsburg hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Fleto of Race street, were among the out of town guests present at a large reception given Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Philson at Meyersdale in honor of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Philson whose marriage was recently solemnized.

G. B. Freed was in Uniontown yesterday on business.

W. F. Soisson is in Pittsburg today on business.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Adams and little daughter left this morning for an extended visit to St. Augusta, Fla.

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9c now on sale at 7½c
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1 lb. Pitted Cherries 22c	3 cans Van Camp's Peas 25c	6 lbs. Pearl Barley 25c
1 lb. Evaporated Raspberries ..30c	3 cans Kidney Beans 25c	10 lbs. Hominy 25c
4 lbs. Seeded Raisins 25c	4 cans Pumpkin 25c	3 quarts Green Peas 25c
1 lb. Fancy Pared Peaches 22c	4 cans String Beans 25c	3 quarts Navy Beans 25c

50 lb. sack Boulte's Best Flour $1.65	25 lbs. Best Granulated Sugar ...$1.40
10 lb. sack Corn Meal 22c	1 bushel Potatoes 65c
10 lbs. Pure Buckwheat Flour 30c	2 lbs. Dried Corn 25c
7 lbs. Lump Starch 25c	1 gal. Jug Catsup 55c
3 qts. Extra Good Cranberries 25c	3 boxes Jell-O 25c
3 lbs. Fancy Santos Coffee 50c	3 boxes Fruit Puddine 25c
2 lbs. Choice Rio Coffee 25c	3 cans California Peaches 50c
½ box Dunham's Cocoanut 15c	3 cans Fancy Apricots 50c
½ lb. cake Hershey's Chocolate 18c	1 Pint Bottle Grape Juice 20c
½ lb. box Hershey's Cocoa 18c	Large Bottle Fancy Olives 20c
6 cans Peerless or Pet Milk 25c	4 small Cans Tomatoes 25c
6 large Rolls Toilet Paper 25c	7 lbs. Sal Soda 10c

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Much Loot Is Discovered In Abandoned Workings.

AMATEUR SLEUTHS FIND SPOT

In Search For Thieves Coal Company Employes Stumble on Cave Containing Quantities of Plunder—Spot a Most Desolate Place.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 11.—In a search for thieves, who last Monday night stole $500 worth of goods from the Dilworth Supply company at Rices Landing, employes of the Dilworth Coal company found thousands of dollars' worth of loot hidden in an abandoned coal mine across the Monongahela river from Fredericktown, this county.

The loot included all the supply company had lost and the value of the plunder has not yet been estimated closely

James Black, Jr., assistant superintendent of the coal company, and John Byers, a workman, started Tuesday to trail the burglars. At Fredericktown Black and Byers were told that an abandoned coal mine across the river in Fayette county was reported haunted, that men had been seen to enter at times, but none came out.

The two sleuths decided to explore the abandoned workings. By the aid of lamps they entered. Fresh footprints were seen in the black mud at the entrance, but the place was silent After groping along 100 yards under the hill huge heaps of plunder were discovered.

None of the robbers were there but there were evidences that there were many connected with the party included in the loot were jewelry, tobacco and cigars in large quantities, dry goods, hardware, etc. Only a small part belonged to the supply company

Black and Byers got assistance and the plunder was taken to the coal company's office at Rices Landing and a guard placed at the abandoned mine It is believed the gang has been committing robberies in that vicinity for years The spot is one of the most desolate places in the county.

PRISON FOR POLITICIAN

Harrisburg Man Sentenced For Using Forged Railroad Ticket.

Clearfield, Pa., Feb 11.—David A Wilson, a hotel keeper and politician of Harrisburg, was sentenced by Judge Smith here to pay $500 fine, the costs of prosecution and to undergo imprisonment in the Western penitentiary for not less than eighteen months or not more than six years for using a forged ticket on the Pennsylvania railroad.

Several prominent politicians of Harrisburg came here and testified to his good character for honesty. Wilson's attorney will ask for a stay pending the hearing of the case before the superior court. Pending that action he will remain in the county jail

No Walkout of Americans.

Mexico City, Feb. 11.—There will not be a walkout of American engineers and conductors in the employ of the National Lines of Mexico, the employes and the railroad management having agreed upon terms of settlement of their differences.

The Scrap Book

Not Fit to Be Minister.

When the announcement was made that a certain distinguished citizen had been appointed to join the nation's diplomatic forces and assume an important foreign portfolio, the matter was naturally discussed with a great deal of interest among his acquaintances.

One day the subject came up in a company among which was one old fellow who had known the appointee for upward of forty years.

"What do you say he has been appointed to?" the old fellow asked "Why," answered one "he has been appointed to be minister in one of the largest cities of Europe."

"Well, that's the most ridiculous thing I ever heard of," snorted the friend of the new diplomatist. "He's a nice feller, all right, but he ain't fit to be minister nowhere. Why, durn it, he don't even know the Lord's prayer."

Face the Sun.

Don't hunt after trouble, but look for success
You'll find what you look for; don't look for distress
If you see but your shadow, remember, I pray,
That the sun is still shining, but you're in the way.
Don't grumble, don't bluster, don't dream and don't shirk,
Don't think of your worries, but think of your work.
The worries will vanish; the work will be done,
No man sees his shadow who faces the sun

Sometimes, Tommy.

The title of this dialogue might be "Why Papa Believes in Corporal Punishment"

"Papa?"

"Well?"

"Is there a Christian Sea?"

"Why, what on earth ever put that idea in your head?"

"The preacher read it today from the Bible, 'The wicked flee when no man pursueth.'"

"Why, Tommy, that means that the wicked men flee"—

"Then, papa, is there a wicked woman flea?"

"No, no. It means that the wicked flees, runs away."

"Why do they run?"

"Who?"

"The wicked fleas."

"No, no! Don't you see? The wicked man runs away when no man is after him."

"Is there a woman after him?"

"Tommy, go to bed!"

A Model.

Mr. Jones came home at an unseemly hour the other night and was surprised to see Mrs. Jones sitting up for him below stairs, with no other light than that of the gas lamp, which faced the door, to keep her company.

"M-M-Marie," he said huskily, "y-you shouldn't sit up s'late when I'm out on business."

As Mrs. Jones did not answer him, he continued in an alarmed voice:

"Shorry, m'dear, but it's last time—tell you I'm sorry. Won't shpeak to me?"

At this moment Mrs. Jones called from above stairs:

"Mr. Jones, who are you talking to at this hour of the night?"

"Thash what I'd like to know m-m-myself," stammered Jones.

Mrs. Jones hastened downstairs, lamp in hand. When she saw the situation she laughed in spite of being very angry.

"IT'S THE MODEL," SHE SAID.

"It's the model," she said—"the model I bought today to fit my dresses on."

"Yes, thash so," said Jones tipsily. "Model woman—didn't talk back—make some fellow good wife."

A Fair Proposition.

The house committee of a New York club once received this unique complaint:

"I have the honor to inform you that I lunched at the club this afternoon and had as my guests three gentlemen, all well known gourmets. Among other things an omelet was served. It contained only three flies. As an old member of the club, jealous of its reputation, I naturally found this very embarrassing, as, in order to make an equitable division of the omelet, it was necessary either to divide a fly—a nice bit of carving, as you must concede—or forego a fly myself. I beg to suggest that in the future when an omelet is served for four persons it should be either with (a) *four* flies or (b) *no* flies at all."

The Dean's Grace.

A famous dean was once at dinner when, just as the cloth was removed, the subject of discourse hap, ened to be that of extraordinary mortality among lawyers. "We have lost," said a gentleman, "not fewer than six eminent barristers in as many months." The dean, who was quite deaf, rose as his friend finished his remarks and gave the company grace, "For this and every other mercy make us truly thankful."

FAYETTE COUNTY COURT RECORDS.

Deeds Entered for Record.

George F. Titlow to Titlow Distilling Company, for lot in South Union township, $500; October 19, 1908.

George M. Beatty and wife to James Rose, for lot on South Vernon avenue, Uniontown, $1,800; February 7, 1910.

Charles B. Davis and wife to Samuel Coburn, for lot in Uniontown, $1; February 3, 1910.

Mary Ann Hilling and W. H. Hilling to Elizabeth A. Buer, for two lots in Uniontown, $1,000; February 5, 1910.

Anna Reed to B. F. Black and J. C. Black, for property in Smithfield, $800; February 4, 1910.

Emma J. Taylor et al. to L. C. Richie for property in Bridgeport, $2,000; February 4, 1910.

Adam J. Shaw et al. to George F. Titlow and Logan Rush, for 71 acres in Wharton township, $1,707.18; November 4, 1907.

Laura Rose and James Rose to Joseph Altamount, for lot in Third Ward, Uniontown, $1,325; February 2, 1910.

Charles Carletts to Ida Carletts for lot in Jefferson township, $150; February 7, 1910

C. J. McCormick to Hugh Elkin, for lot in South Union township, $200; February 14, 1906.

Richard Hetherington to Martha Coleman, for lot in Washington township, $1, August 28, 1909.

Henry Daugherty and wife to Clyde Conn, for lot in Georges township, $200; January 17, 1910.

George Rose and wife to A. W. Winnett, for lot in Bello Vernon, $1,450; January 27, 1910.

Ethel C. Stewart and Albert Stewart to Isaac Gates, for three-fourths of an acre of land in Redstone township, $450, April 23 1909.

W. W. Darrall and wife to Herschell L. Darrall, for lot at Masontown, $200; April 21, 1909.

Herschell L. Darrall and wife to W. W. Darrall, for property in Masontown, $400; April 21, 1909.

Jean H. Davidson to Harry Dull for lot in Connellsville, $450; July 21, 1905.

A. R. Stillwagon and wife to Frank P. Welker, for coal land in German township, $1,000; February 4, 1910.

Charles W. Hart and wife to A. G. Cohen, for lot in Uniontown, $1,700; February 4, 1910.

Maggie S. Kammerer to Jake Weimer, for lot in Connellsville, $1,100; July 13, 1901.

Simon and Nancy Shanks to Jacob F. Weimer, for land in Georges township, $50; December 4, 1907.

Johnson Van Kirk and wife to Connellsville & Monongahela Railroad, for lot in Redstone township, $250; November 18, 1909.

John E. Wood and wife to Monongahela Railroad, for property in Luzerne township, $1,750; December 21, 1909.

George W. Crawford and wife to Monongahela Railroad, for lot in Luzerne township, $825; October 21, 1909.

O. P. Markle et al., to Samuel E. Murphy, for lot in North Union township, $2,600; February 3, 1910.

E. M. Mixenbaugh and wife to T. G. Brown, for lot at Belle Vernon, $1,000; February 2, 1910.

William H. Beazell et al., to Charles A. Beazell, for 5-6 of two lots at Belle Vernon, $1,750; January 17, 1910.

Jackson Thomas and wife to James M. McGreagor, for lot in North Union township, $1,350; February 4, 1910.

Marriage Licenses.

John Grimin and Minnie Burgan, both of Uniontown.

Harry I. Schupp of Republic, and Anna C. Logue of South Brownsville.

Sylvian Badot and Amelia L. Delmott, both of Fairchance.

John V. Shunk of Merrell, and Florence M. Lynch of McDowell.

Benjamin D. Galbreath of Connellsville, and Margaret A. Burton of Pittsburg.

Joseph Toth of Brownsville, and Mary Litoin of Uniontown.

Thomas L. Byrne and Ella K. Franz, both of Uniontown.

Joseph Altomont and Mary Pagano, both of Uniontown.

Woodrow P. Lee of Smithton, and Edith P. Buskey of Meyersdale.

Emanuel S. Golden of Bruceton, and Mary A. Uphall of Fairchance.

Irvin Anderson of Bear Run, and Ida Cleary of Bullskin township.

Frank J. Gershaw of Vanderbilt, and Mary E. McNulty of Meyer.

The News of Nearby Towns.

MT. PLEASANT.

MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 10.—The St. Joseph's Literary Society gave a dance in their auditorium last evening that was well attended by nearly a hundred couples. Overholt's orchestra provided music for the occasion, and refreshments were served. Out of town guests were present from all over the county, among them were the following: Misses Sadie Rogers, Katherine McIntyre, Mary Flannigan and James McPartland of Connellsville, Misses Mary Yahner, Minnie Hartwig, Sheridan Mentzer, John Mentzer and Robert Ames, Scottdale; Misses Josephine and Mary Kearns, Anna Myers, Charles Balls, John Kearns, Mammoth.

Miss Marie Snyder entertained a score of her little friends at her home on Washington street, last evening. The occasion being that little lady's fifth birthday. The hostess' mother served an elaborate lunch.

Herbert Smith, ex-Councilman, of town, and formerly a well known blacksmith here, is spending a short time with his parents here. Mr. Smith and his family are now residing in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. William Murphy was visiting relatives in Pittsburg yesterday.

Mrs. U. G. Weimer spent Wednesday afternoon with friends in Greensburg.

William Close of Greensburg, was calling on his parents, Mr. and Mrs Hugh Close, yesterday.

Miss Sarah Hood was calling on friends in Scottdale yesterday.

MT. PLEASANT, Feb. 11.—The second annual chicken and waffle supper was given by the W. C. T. U. ladies in the Bank Hall last evening. Over 200 were present, making it the most successful affair of the year.

Julia Munick, aged two and one-half years, died at the home of her parents at Standard Shaft, Thursday morning, of pneumonia. Zimmerman's undertaking establishment have charge of the funeral which will be held this afternoon

Michael Yannielle, an Italian tailor, who conducts a tailoring shop in town, left this morning for New York where he will sail on Monday for Naples, Italy, where he will spend three months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Yanrielle.

J. W. Faust of Martins Ferry, O., formerly a business man of this place, is visiting friends and relatives in town.

MEYERSDALE.

MEYERSDALE, Feb. 10.—W. H. Floto, who represented Somerset county in the General Assembly at Harrisburg last session, has announced that he will be a candidate for reelection.

Mrs. J. E. McCartney entertained the Dorcas Thimble Club of the M. E. Church yesterday afternoon at her home on Centre street. Those present were: Mrs. W. H. Ryland, Mrs. J. E. Appley, Mrs. Sue Liston, Mrs. C. E. Klingensmith, Mrs. H. H. Williams, Mrs. W. F. Cleaver, Mrs. H. S. McClintock, Mrs. John B. Dailey, Mrs. W. H. Rutter and Mrs. C. E. Deal.

Miss Lelia Goulehan returned last evening from a week's visit with relatives and friends at Pittsburg.

Mrs. L. L. Mountain and little daughter of Confluence, spent the past week as guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Catherine Groff and her sister, Miss Anna B. Groff.

By an order obtained from the County Commissioners the election in Precinct No. 1 will be held in the reading room of the fire house instead of upstairs, as heretofore. This will prove very satisfactory, as each booth will be fitted with an electric light.

It is expected that the remains of Mrs. I. S. Richey, daughter of Elder and Mrs. Samuel P. Maust, that have been on the way from Towner, Colo., since Monday, will arrive here Friday night, and that the funeral will be held Saturday. The services will take place in the Church of the Brethren, South Side; interment in Union cemetery.

The election is not occasioning much excitement, which portends that the ticket nominated by the Republicans is satisfactory and, as in the past, will go through "a-humming."

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Feb. 10.—Mrs. J. M. D. Lowe entertained the following guests at her home in East Smithfield, Thursday: Mrs. J. K. Rader, Mrs. C. B. Stewart, J. W. Ryan and wife, and Mrs. O. R. Brownfield, of Fairchance.

J. K. P. Shoaf of Nicholson No. 2, was in town on business today.

Ernest Young of Point Marion, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

J. G. Jones, superintendent of the Baxter's Ridge Coke Company, was a borough visitor today.

B. F. Black is a Uniontown business visitor today.

Reuben McCann of Nicholson No. 2, was a borough caller today.

Miss Jennie Burchinal of South Georges, was a business visitor Wednesday.

A. J. Smith, George W. Campbell and H. O'Neil, assisted by J. R. Abraham, the committee appointed to decorate the Town Hall for the campfire to be held there by the G. A. R. Saturday evening, Lincoln's birthday, have performed the duty assigned them and have done it well. The hall is literally covered with flags and bunting. Several hundred yards of bunting and innumerable flags were used in the decorations. A great time is anticipated by the G. A. R. boys.

Miss Leona Miller of Nicholson No. 2, was a borough caller Thursday.

Frank Goodwin of Fairchance, was a borough visitor today.

Mrs. S. A. Brownfield is under the care of a physician, with stomach trouble.

J. W. Abraham was a business caller in Uniontown today.

The Georges township teachers will hold an institute at the Windy Hill school house Saturday.

J. G. Jones' orchestra will furnish music for the campfire.

ROCKWOOD.

ROCKWOOD, Feb. 10.—A. L. Knopsnyder, brother of the late John Knopsnyder, has been appointed administrator of the latter's estate. Bond in $2,500.

The will of Hiram Tedrow, late of Milford township, was probated last week and he directs that his property be converted into cash, and after payment of debts, the balance be paid to his son, John W. Tedrow. P. K. Moore of Trent, is executor.

The Lutheran choir will meet at the home of Mrs. Margaret Gardner next Wednesday evening.

Miss M. Lisa Bowman of Stoyestown, is visiting Mrs. Levi M. Wolf.

H. E. Bailey, who was recently married to Miss Florence Parker, had his arm cut off at the elbow last night, near Wilson Creek. He was removed to the hospital at Connellsville. Mr. Bailey has been a brakeman but a short time on the S. & C. Branch.

William Endfield, who has been ill for the past two months has returned to work again much improved in health.

If You Have Eczema.

If you have eczema would you like to get prompt relief and be permanently cured by a clean liquid preparation for external use? Graham & Co., Connellsville; D. C. Eason, Dunbar, the chemists, have this remedy in stock. They know the ingredients and know of its wonderful curative and healing properties. ZEMO has cured a great many chronic cases of eczema and other forms of skin and scalp diseases. Graham & Company, Connellsville, or D. C. Eason, Dunbar, will give you a booklet on skin diseases and explain to you how you can be cured in your own home by this clean, simple remedy. ZEMO is pleasant to use and can be used freely on infants. It cures by drawing all germ life and poisons to the surface of the skin and destroying them leaving the skin clean and healthy.

Shovel 'Em Out Shoe Sale

3,000 Pairs Men's, Women's and Children's Shoes

Must be sold within TEN DAYS to make room for our new Spring line of Shoes of all descriptions, in a large variety of styles and leathers, at prices that you will never buy them again. This is an opportunity to buy shoes for all the family at prices never to be forgotten.

Men's Dress Shoes

$1.50 Men's Dress Shoes now....98c
$2.00 Men's Dress Shoes now....$1.19
$2.50 Men's Dress Shoes now....$1.39
$3.00 Men's Dress Shoes now....$1.69
$3.50 Men's Dress Shoes now....$1.98
$4.00 Men's Dress Shoes now....$2.48
$5.00 Men's Dress Shoes now....$2.95

Men's Working Shoes

$1.50 Men's Working Shoes.....98c
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$2.00 Men's Working Shoes.....$1.39
$2.50 Men's Working Shoes.....$1.69
$3.00 Men's Working Shoes.....$1.98
$4.00 Men's Working Shoes.....$2.48
$3.50 High Top Shoes.....$1.98
$4 and $4.50 High Top Shoes....$2.69

All other Working Shoes reduced accordingly.

During this sale we will give special reductions in all other departments, such as Men's and Boys' Clothing, Ladies' Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Waists, Millinery, Furnishings, Etc.

SALE BEGINS

Saturday, Feb. 12

AND WILL LAST FOR

TEN DAYS ONLY.

Ladies' Dress Shoes

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We carry a full line of Rubbers, Overshoes, Gum Shoes, Arctics, Felt Boots, Etc., at Very Low Prices.

Boys' Misses and Children's

Dress and Everyday Shoes.

$1.25 Little Gents' School Shoes..89c
$1.50 Boys' School Shoes now....98c
$1.75 Boys' School Shoes now....$1.19
$2.00 Boys' School Shoes now....$1.29
$2.50 Boys' Dress Shoes now....$1.35
$1.25 Children's School Shoes.....79c
$1.50 Misses' and Children's Shoes 98c
$1.75 Misses' and Children's Shoes $1.19
$2.00 Misses' and Children's Shoes $1.39
$2.50 Misses' High Top Shoes....$1.69

All other Shoes reduced accordingly.

Be sure you are in the right place before you do your buying. Remember, the GREAT SHOVEL 'EM OUT SHOE SALE begins Saturday, February 12, and will last for ten days only.

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Rheuma: that's the name of the scientific prescription that is putting old rheumatiz out of business the country over.

Rheuma cures by driving the uric acid from the blood. It also acts directly on the kidneys and is better for the kidneys than most so-called kidney cures.

After the rheumatic poisons are driven from the body, the stomach grows strong, the blood becomes rich and red and a general feeling of perfect health prevails.

B. D. Smith of Elmira, N. Y., took Rheuma, and this is what he writes: "I was a sufferer from rheumatism for years. Since using Rheuma I have been entirely free from all aches and pains. Rheuma is certainly the stuff for rheumatism."

A. A. Clarke, North Alley and North Pittsburg street, Connellsville, Pa., sells and guarantees Rheuma. The price is only 50c a bottle, and no rheumatic sufferer can afford not to use it. Mail orders filled by Rheuma Co., 1009 West Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

CONFLUENCE.

CONFLUENCE, Feb. 11.—Rev. and Mrs. Eddy of Johnstown, were guests of Mrs. William Doll at dinner one day this week.

Miss Mabel Andrews is spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Murphy, of near town.

Mrs. Mollie Kretchman left yesterday for Rochester, Pa., where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. William Howell, for a couple of weeks.

Bruce Dold, who has been employed in Pittsburg for several months, is the guest of his mother and sister.

Mrs. Amos Yowler and daughter, Sarah, have returned home after a week's visit with the former's mother in Connellsville.

Read The Daily Courier every day.

John Witte, fireman on the C. & O. Branch, has accepted a position on the main line. Charles Umbel of Connellsville, has taken his place.

Wesley Show of Henry Clay township, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Jacob Keim of Addison, was a visitor in town Thursday.

Ray Hook is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Y. M. Black.

Miss Lettie King was tendered an enjoyable surprise party Wednesday evening in honor of her birthday. The affair was neatly arranged by Misses Grace Lininger and Grace Shipley, and Miss King was taken completely by surprise. The evening was indulged in games and music until a late hour when a dainty lunch was served after which all departed for their homes wishing their hostess many happy birthdays.

Mrs. Lytle of Sugar Loaf, was the guest of her son, Jake Lytle, and family, this week.

Rev. and Mrs. Eddy of Johnstown, and Mrs. William Doll of town, were guests of Mrs. William Coughenour at dinner Thursday.

Charles Neighborgal, B. & O. tie inspector, was a business caller in Somerfield this week.

Mrs. Joe Cottom and son of Dawson, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kurtz the past week.

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OHIOPYLE.

OHIOPYLE, Feb. 10.—A. C. Bailey of Uniontown, spent a few hours here Thursday on business and calling on friends.

Mrs. Emma Henninger and daughter, Miss Bertha, of Somerset, arrived here Wednesday to visit Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Fleming, after which they left Thursday morning for Alverton to visit relatives.

Miss Mabel Leonard of near Kentuck, was visiting friends here yesterday.

Miss Vina Tressler of near Maple Summit, was in town Thursday.

Mrs. Harry Hall of near Maple Summit, spent a few hours here Thursday with relatives.

Thomas Glotfelty was in Connellsville and Uniontown on business Thursday.

Read the advertisements carefully.

BERLIN.

BERLIN, Feb. 10.—Austin Floto was in Fayette county this week in the interests of the cigar business.

J. M. Cable was a county seat visitor this week.

Alexander Walker is hauling lumber to have an addition built to his barn this spring.

Merchant W. A. Miller of Dividing Ridge, was in town on business Wednesday.

L. H. Musser of Roxbury, was a visitor in town Tuesday.

C. J. Wattig will erect a one-story addition to his dwelling house this spring which will be used as a kitchen.

Rev. Wyant was calling on his parishioners at Garrett, this week.

A jolly crowd of young folks sleighed to the Horace Landis home Tuesday evening, in North Brothersvalley, and spent a pleasant evening. Refreshments were served and games played. At a late hour they started for the trip home.

THE CONFLICT OF LOVE AND FAT.

The average man will "jolly" with the stout girl; but he steals glances over her shoulder at that Miss Slender. He would sooner hold the hands of the latter in a fatuous silence than really enjoy himself with the other. Such is the power of line. Just a line—from chin to toe, or nape to heel—that's all. But it rings the merry marriage bell.

Fat women should not repine—but refine—their own lines by means of that phenomenal—the Marmola Tablet. No exercising or dieting is necessary. Simply take one tablet after each meal and at bedtime, and in a little while the overplus of fat—the coarseness of aspect—will disappear. The figure will become slight enough to permit of a maidenly contour, a pure outline, being fashioned with corset and gown. Then victory—if not revenge.

Although Marmola Tablets often take off unfortunly a pound of flabby fat a day, they are quite harmless (being made of the famous fashionable prescription; ½ oz. Marmola, ½ oz. Fl. Ex. Cascara Aromatic, 3½ oz. Peppermint Water). Consequently, even timid ones are safe in using them, for no ill—not even a wrinkle or stomach ache—will follow their use; seventy-five cents secures a large case at any druggist's or by mail from the Marmola Co., 670 Farmer Building, Detroit, Mich.

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COKE MERGER TALK AND COKE PRICES.

There is a revival of coke merger talk which is more amusing than interesting and which, furthermore, illustrates how ignorance most profound is sometimes mistaken for the height of wisdom.

The merger or consolidation of the independent coking interests of the Connellsville region, or any considerable portion of them, such as was all but consummated last summer, is not now under consideration by anybody. The impression that a new attempt is about to form a coke merger has been created by publications in certain Fayette county newspapers notable rather for what they do not know about the the Connellsville coke trade than for what they do know about it and kindred industrial matters.

The Courier, which is the only Connellsville coke region publication which has made a study of the coke trade and gives it special attention, suggested some several months ago that the open market operators of the Connellsville region should try to get close enough together to form a selling agency that would reduce the price of furnace fuel to the consumer, increase it to the producer, steady prices and regulate production to the needs of the market.

The elimination of the coke broker is desirable for a number of good and sufficient reasons. He is a disturber of the commercial peace; a sower of discord between producer and consumer; a drone in the hive of industry who waxes big and fat with substance drawn from the energy, the enterprise and the investment of the manufacturer; a modern buccaneer whose hand is against everybody and who differs from his ancient prototype only in that he does not take all the profits of his victims' toil, but leaves them enough with which to continue as factors in the system upon which he fattens.

'Tis a wise pirate who cuts not off the head of the Goose that lays the Golden Eggs. In making his plans of despoliation this pirate of Twentieth Century commercialism is a fox by instinct, developing into a roaring lion when there is a division of profits afoot. The following from a Pittsburg paper is evidently the inspiration if not the actual production of one of the Buccaneering Brokers' Band:

Local coke men are confident there will be no coke merger in the Connellsville field in the very near future. They point out that prices are higher enough for independent companies to make a good profit on their investment and they are not entering a combination when they can make money by making and selling the product of their ovens. Prices are good and the demand is such as to prevent low prices in the near future.

Local coke men are confident there will be no coke merger in the Connellsville coke independents at this time is calculated to mislead the public and send out the impression that coke is a drug on the market and can be picked up at any price," said a well known authority yesterday. "If the middleman buys a quantity of coke he must load it on cars and send it out on the main line, because the coke manufacturer has no place to store it. Neither has the other fellow. Usually the railroads demand at once where the coke is to be shipped. They want shipping directions within 24 hours and they must be given. The owner of the coke must dispose of his holdings at once, and he looks around for buyers. When the kilns at the furnaces are filled he is almost of a proposition which makes him move hastily. Occasionally he finds some furnace interest which will take the coke at a reduction from the regular price. This means that this interest must store it, and that cost him 15 cents to 25 cents a ton for rehandling.

"These are the prices which are quoted as coke prices, when in reality they are brought about by special conditions which do not control the regular market. Often this spot coke has been sold as low as $1.50 to $2 a ton, when the regular market was at least $1 above the price. It is simply the necessity of the moment which forces coke on the market, and it must be sold at any price. It is not the market value of coke, nor can it be taken as an indication that independent companies are preparing to unite forces in an effort to put up prices. Prices are already at the prosperity stage."

The troubles of the broker as herein depicted are enough to move to pity a heart of stone, but not sufficient to deceive the logical mind of a well-informed coke man. The coke broker never goes broke on any of his deals, as he seldom buys anything he is not prepared to deliver, but if he does there are many ways of stopping the shipment. It is a well established fact that the quality of all coke deteriorates wonderfully during a period of trade depression and recovers its marketable qualities with equal facility when demand exceeds supply.

The statement that prices are satisfactory to operators is a sad joke on some of them. It is true that a number of operators have contracts at fair figures, contract coke being common in the Connellsville region, but it is also true that the prices are seldom entirely satisfactory to the operators, and that just at the present time they are wholly unsatisfactory with no immediate prospects of improving. It is this condition which brought forth the suggestion by the editor of The Courier, that a selling agency be formed, [illegible] keeping it permanently active.

It is true that some of the very low prices so widely heralded, through the agency of the brokers, do not represent the real condition of the market; and there are sometimes excellent reasons for thinking that they exist only in the fertile imagination of the broker, and are circulated with intent to wickedly deceive the innocent operator and induce him to give the guileful broker another slice of his honestly-earned compensation.

Coke prices are not at the "prosperity stage", indicated by the above article. It must be remembered that the Connellsville operators have but recently advanced the wages of their labor and in other lines added materially to the figures on their cost sheets.

The advanced value of coal lands and the higher cost of coke production are such that, to make a reasonable profit on their investments, Connellsville coke operators should have $2.50 to $3.00 per ton for their coke, and any prices under $2.00 are simply ruinous.

Bandit caves are notoriously a matter of yellow-covered history, and the coal mines of Western Pennsylvania seem to be in a fair way to become at least the temporary home of criminals and the incidental depositories of plunder, but there is absolutely no danger, dear reader, of the coke trade buccaneers syndicating the abandoned mines and making them headquarters for their occupation. They do business in what the firm of Potash & Perlmutter denominate "lofts."

The new election laws need a new schedule to prevent them from getting off their trolley.

The Monongahela miners will consider their objections to new explosives removed if the operators buy the explosives. The operators should furnish them, but their cost should be a factor of wage adjustment where the miners now buy their own powder.

Many a servant of the people forgets his station.

The Congress is not inclined to forget that it is a co-ordinate branch of the government upon which the judiciary has no right to encroach.

The United States Steel Corporation has a habit of steadying the coke and pig iron markets occasionally, even if some people do insist that it is a Wicked Trust.

The crop of license applications is unusually large this spring.

Old Offenses Not New Lawlessness.
Charleroi Mail.

Paris is threatened with a new danger, lawlessness, remarks The Connellsville Courier. The things they do in Paris wouldn't be called a new danger in America. They would be called old offenses.

Washington Correspondence.

United Press Special.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Life at the White House is irksome, at least for two members of the Taft official household. These are the Secret Service men, who are charged with the protection of the President, and who Sherlock Holmes in his immediate vicinity about twenty-four hours a day.

For instance, the President has acquired the habit of pedestrianism, and consequently one James Sloan, and one Lorion C. Wheeler have also become walkers. President Taft has a habit of intending to start for a walk about 3 o'clock in the afternoon. That is, the Presidential automobile is ordered around to the Executive offices for that hour to take the President to a spot in the suburbs from which he can comfortably walk back to the White House.

Now when the auto, with its motorcycle outriders chug-chugs into the driveway, the Secret Service men hurry into overcoats, shift their arsenals and take up their stand at the entrance to the presidential sanctum sanctorum to await the advent of their charge.

But, at 3 in the afternoon there are usually many sides of many questions to be considered and many grave matters to be determined. Congressmen, Senators and Cabinet members hurry in to submit various problems and the President must listen to all, and consider all. Meanwhile two Secret Service men, two motorcycle outriders, and automobile and chauffeur await without. Without what? Why without a President to go for his constitutional.

The length of time they await without varies. One evening it was 6:45 o'clock, fifteen minutes before the White House dinner hour when the President completed the day's labors. Other times the retinue waits only an hour.

An effort was being made on the floor of the House by Representative Butler (Republican, Pennsylvania), to secure the passage of a bill abolishing the Bureau of Equipment in the Navy Department. Mann (Republican, Illinois), was on his feet in a moment with an objection, and Butler gave up the attempt.

"I apologize to the House," said Butler, "for attempting to get something done."

The effectiveness of modern methods of fighting disease, and, at the same time, the danger to a community in which cholera makes its appearance, were both thoroughly demonstrated in a recent case in Cebu, one of the Philippine Islands.

If prompt measures had not been taken it is possible that an epidemic of cholera would have taken place among the residents of the island, numbering over 80,000 people, and thickly settled.

The last known case of cholera in Cebu occurred more than a week prior to November 12. On November 13 there were 10 cases reported; the succeeding day 43 cases; the next day 44 cases, and the following day 73 cases. The victims practically all lived in one section of the city, and the water supply of this section at once came under suspicion.

The trouble was soon located in several wells. Most energetic measures were taken; the water in the wells of the infected district was made into a three per cent. solution of carbolic acid, and this solution was then pumped out and distributed over as large a section of the ground in the neighborhood of the wells as possible.

After this the wells were closed; the sick were isolated in rapidly improvised hospitals, public closets were constructed, and these, as well as private closets were regularly disinfected; a house-to-house inspection was made; distilled water distributed, and thorough disinfection of all houses in the infected district carried out. An immediate decline took place in the number of cases, until November 21 the number had fallen to five cases per day, and the trouble is now stamped out.

The Examination of Census Jobs Applicants Has Begun.—News Rom.

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FOR RENT—SECOND FLOOR AND basement of Bufano building. Rent reasonable. Apply to P. BUFANO, South Pittsburg St.

FOR RENT—STORE ROOMS, DWELlings, flats. K. K. KRAMER, Real Estate and Insurance, 201 Title & Trust Bldg. 10feb3td

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FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND REbuilt typewriters at bargains. Inquire at THE COURIER OFFICE.

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FOR SALE.—JUST RECEIVED AT the Youghiogheny Lumber Yard, West Side, one carload wall plaster and one carload chimney brick. 10feb3td

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FOR SALE—AUTOMOBILES AT BARgains. One Pierce Great Arrow, 1909 model, 24-32; top and wind-shield; in first-class order. Also one White Steamer, 1907 model, rebuilt with 1908 improvements, practically a 1908 model; engine just from White shops; in first-class repair. Apply to H. F. SNYDER, The Courier Office.

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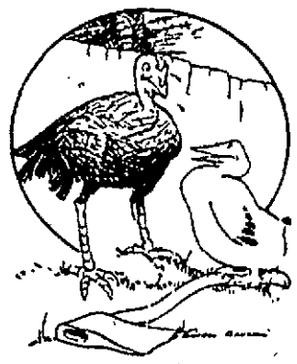

BARNYARD REPARTEE.

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Mrs. Duck—No, what?

Mrs. Turkey—He winked his eye at that sleek looking little Miss Chicken.

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SPRING SUITS

Have you seen them? Decided style changes are now here to greet the early season and their beauty is a thing of certainty. We've never shown more elegant ready-to-wear garments than will be exhibited by us this Spring. "Elegance" combines all the best merits of a garment. The best in style, quality and tailoring—features that are always closely observed by every discreet buyer. It is "merit" that has won popularity for Dunn's Cloaks and Suits.

The Coats this season are much shorter than those of last. Styles are fitted and semi-fitted, with long rolling revieres, plain, moire or fancy collars, plain tailored or slight soutache or braid effect, square corners and well lined with best satin lining. Skirts are mostly plain plaited with panned fronts and tunic effect. There is a tendency this season in favor of walking lengths; in fact they are sure of popularity. The suits we are showing up to the present are serges, English suitings, homespuns, mixtures and novelties in colors of grey, blue, tan, green, rose, etc., in their various shades.

Unusual attention has been given this season to the style and quality of our Cloaks and Suits. Not a garment that comes into our store is placed on our racks without first being examined and if imperfect in fit, quality or workmanship, it is at once returned to the maker. Already, women have begun to do their Spring buying and those who buy early have the advantage of those who do not. The woman who buys her suit now realizes its full value while the garment is in style. Call and see them.

NEW COATS

Good looking Spring Coats that are admired by all who see them. Plain, but stylish tailored effects in serges and light weight coverts, full length, fitted and semi-fitted styles. They come with plain or fancy collars and with or without cuffs. A coat, especially for Spring wear, is popular on account of the uncertainty of the season and can be easily put on or taken off.

Cloak and Suit Department in rear of store.

DUNN'S CASH STORES.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA.
129, 131 and 133 N. Pittsburg Street.

SHOES! SHOES!
Specials for Thursday and Friday

Thursday and Friday, February 10th and 11th we offer the following Shoes at 15 PER CENT, BELOW COST. These are good, heavy, serviceable Shoes and worth much more money. We are closing out all our Shoes at less than cost, and have selected these Winter Shoes out for a sacrifice. Make it a point to save money these two days.

22 PAIRS CHILDREN'S SHOES, sizes 5 to 8, in Kangaroo Calf uppers, good substantial soles, spring heel. $1.00 Shoes. Thursday and Friday, pair..... 66c

17 PAIRS CHILDREN'S BOX CALF SHOES, sizes 5 to 8, serviceable wearing Shoes for the little ones Thursday and Friday, pair..... 77c

GIRLS' SHOES, sizes 8½ to 11½ good calf uppers, and substantial soles. Regular $1.25 sellers, for Thursday and Friday, pair..... 83c

GIRLS' SHOES, sizes 8½ to 11½, best Box Calf uppers and vamps. A neat, good wearing school shoe. For Thursday and Friday..... 99c

MISSES' SCHOOL SHOES, sizes 11½ to 2, Calfskin uppers and vamps, solid leather throughout. For Thursday and Friday, pair..... 99c

MISSES' SCHOOL SHOES, sizes 11½ to 2, best Calfskin uppers with medium heavy soles, solid leather throughout. Special price for Thursday and Friday..... $1.15

BOYS' HEAVY SCHOOL SHOES, 4 pairs No. 2½, 7 pairs No. 3, 6 pairs No. 4, 3 pairs No. 4½, 3 pairs No. 5, 2 pairs No. 5½, strong Shoes for hard wear, solid leather throughout. For Thursday and Friday, pair..... $1.10

19 PAIRS MEN'S CONGRESS DRESS SHOES, sizes 6 to 10, former price $1.75 pair, sale price for Thursday and Friday, pair..... 90c

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¼ Off on High Shoes.

BOYS, GIRLS AND CHILDREN.

Along with our $1.50 sale, which is now going on in Boys' and Girls' Regular Top Shoes, we will close out any high top shoe in our store for boys and and girls at ¼ off the regular price.

This will include black or tan, lace, button or blucher, with and without buckles.

Jockey Boots, all black and patent leathers with tan and red tops. The greatest shoes that ever was made for boys and girls for winter wear

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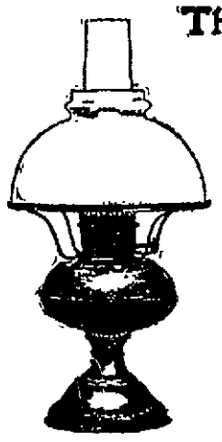

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The Armstrong $4.00 shoes have a value to them superior to most shoes sold at the price. Leathers are carefully selected—styles that appeal to you for their beauty—a class of shoe-making that insures their shape-keeping until worn out. The wearers of these shoes are always satisfied. We will take pleasure in showing them to you.

Norris & Hooper
104 W. Main St., Connellsville, Pa.

FIRST AID MAN FOR SCOTTDALE.

Lieutenant Shields Spoke to Largest Gathering of Mining Men

ASSEMBLED THERE AT Y. M. C. A.

Husband Threw Expensive Steak in Wife's Face and is Meditating Over the Meat Trust in the Borough Lock-up—Other News Notes.

SCOTTDALE, Feb. 11.—First Aid to the injured work was begun among the miners of this section at a big meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms last night, when the largest number ever assembled here in such meeting listened for nearly two hours to the talk given by Lieut. J. M. Shields, of the United States Army, who is organizing this work, in conjunction with the Government and the Red Cross Society.

The various means of quickly giving aid to employes working in the mines or about the coke ovens was gone into in detail in clear and interesting style, and the miners representing Westmoreland and Fayette counties who were endowed showed great enthusiasm. Dr. Shields had large charts showing the human body and illustrating the effects of various accidents and how to relieve those effects before a doctor's treatment can be secured, and the importance that often attaches to doing something quickly to relieve the victim of accident, both mitigating his agony and often early help being just what is required to save the victim's life. Dr Shields will be here again in one week. It is likely that his stay in this region will be considerably shortened since the operators in all parts of the country are anxious to secure him to start his first aid movement among them, and the government and Red Cross desire him to visit other mining regions, both coal and metal as soon as possible

Elks Hold Banquet.

The B P O. Elks met last night in their lodge rooms here and held an enjoyable meeting and banquet, the occasion being the visit of District Deputy George W. Allen of Lodge No. 11, Pittsburg. There were several speeches made during the evening by Dr. C. W. McKee, District Deputy Allen, former District Deputy J. W. Ely of Jeannette and Hon. James Kegan, Jr. There were about 100 present, there being guests from Connellsville, Youngwood, Mt. Pleasant, Greensburg, Jeannette and other towns.

Taken Suddenly Ill.

Helen, a daughter of Mr and Mrs. Jacob L. Gratt of west of town was taken suddenly ill last evening and her condition for some time was serious Dr E P. Weddell was called from town, and the little girl's condition is improved today.

Given Four Days.

David Randolph, a young man living across Grant avenue from the Borough building is alleged to have become peevish over some of the steak that the meat dealers are putting out and slapped a piece of steak into his wife's face when she cooked it for dinner yesterday. She was of the opinion that this was carrying the war against meat to too great lengths and appealed to the police. The episode of the steak was followed, she said, by a threat to break up the household goods and put a fresco finish, with reinforced concrete trimmings on the place, or something to that effect. Chief McCudden went over and escorted the young man to the lockup, where a hearing was given by Burgess R. F. Ellis later in the day, and a check for a lodging for four days in the Municipal Lodging House was passed out The young man had apparently surrounded too much liquid electricity to know how badly he was acting.

Trying Mission Cause.

The foreign missionary cause is to be given a trial at the Methodist Episcopal Church soon. Mr Money Bagge gave a donation to the foreign mission cause and is now suing to recover the money Attorney Alfred E. Jones of Uniontown is to be present to uphold the side of the plaintiff and Attorney John C. Shibley will appear for the defendant About 50 people from Judge court officers, witnesses and suitors will take part in the unique entertainment

Daniel Boone Drew Well.

"Daniel Boone on the Trail" was at Geyer's opera house and a full house greeted him Last night a large proportion of the audience being boys, who were anxious to see the famous old scout and Indian slayer on his return up to earth. They greeted the old scout with vociferous applause, as he made the Indians bite the dust, and show the pesky varmints of wolves that had stood in a cage on the street in the afternoon A horde of young sters about the cage came near losing valuable fingers poking at the wolves and pulling their tails

Pay Day Monday.

The American Sheet & Tin Plate Company paid the men at their two plants today on account of the banks announcement that they will be closed tomorrow, the celebration of Lincoln's birthday. A lot of money was put in circulation and the merchants have been having a busy day and look for tomorrow being another good day

Visitors in Pittsburg.

Attorney I R Smith and W L. Kelly the coke operator, were among Scottdale people to leave the early train for Pittsburg this morning, where they are attending to matters of business.

Lincoln Day Observance.

The Independent Order of Americans will hold a meeting this evening in the Malta Hall at which they will pay observance to the life of Abraham Lincoln. A number of speeches and readings will be given on this subject.

Reports of the Public Schools in Connellsville Township Last Month.

The fifth month in the Connellsville township schools closed Tuesday, Feb. 8. In most grades the attendance was better than last month. Several grades in the Gibson schools are overcrowded, but arrangements are being made to transfer a part to other rooms. Friday, Feb. 18 will be celebrated as Patrons' Day in the schools of the township Announcements will be sent to each family, and a large number of parents are expected to attend. Special programs will be given in the different rooms.

The following is the report by rooms.

Rock Ridge.			
Pearl Burke	25	22	94
Stella Moreland	31	28	90
Narrows.			
Pearl Marse	52	42	86
V. D Passmore	33	24	78
Washington.			
Bessie Bishop	68	66	98
Martha James	28	26	88
Gibson.			
1a Louise Barger	58	49	87
1 Sadie Hawk	51	44	90
2 Mina Sullivan	65	56	93
3 Eleanor Somerville	65	57	91
4 Ruth Moore	74	64	94
5 Eva Wilson	35	29	91
6 Emma Huston	44	38	92
7 Winifred Bongard	25	23	92
8 S. B. Henry	19	17	97
9 R. E. Jensen	17	15	88
Totals	639	576	90

The following pupils were present every day during the month:

Gibson.

Room No. 1, A, Sarah McDermott, Marguerite Travis, Marian Fleming, Viola Keffer, Hazel Matthews, Susan Siebell, Esther Tannehill, Clarence Lee, Eugene Shoup, Walter Vernon, Wallace Long, Frank Craft, Eldon Helms, Willis Tannehill, Alexander Pullman.

Room No. 1 B, Lottie Artzman, Lulu Saterfield, Tillie Lukach, Irene Gallantine, Ethel Malunka, James Linderman, Albert Reynolds, Homer Saterfield, Ray Mason, Curtis Reynolds, George Ruby, Steve Malunka, John Keffer, Walton Mason, Charles Vandergrift.

Room No. 2, Edward Crouse, Howard Adams, Elmer Doebrie, Thomas Maxwell, Clarence Collins, Harry McElhaney, Jacob Hartman, Joseph Hudak, Donald Bungard, John Hampshire, Lee Collins, James Graziano, Frederick Roach, Gertrude Jaynes, Elva Fleming, Vera Fowler, Elizabeth Corvin, Olive Hyatt, Katherine Garlitz, Bertha Prior, Francis Chorpenning, Lily Lee, Cleona Trump, Anna Hurley, Margaret Durbin, Grace Debot, Anna Eggleton, Edith Hanshive.

Room No. 3, Emily Doebrie, Edith Moon, Elizabeth Brierly, Elizabeth Lohan, Dorothy Vanstone, Fred Shipley, Harry Hart, Blair Youngkin, Philip Helms, Earl Gilpin, Lawrence Lee, Roland Baer, Andrew Lukach, William Hicks, Linda Dye, Charles Jameson, Clyde Cross, Raymond Evans, John Hartman, Harold Hartman, Mahala Pickard.

Room No 4, Margaret Jaynes, Gertrude Daly, Edna Hert, Leona Fowler, Elizabeth Jenkie, Irene Linderman, Elizabeth Linderman, Celia Linderman, Anna Jamieson, Gertrude Trump, Nellie Pierce, Catherine Somerville, Esther Sullivan, Ella Solisson, Ina Collins, Mary Adams, Emma Seball, Theresa Grok, Anna Seball, Marie Kleabish, Robert Mahaney, Albert Brown, Edward Garlitz, Harry Debolt, Earl Bingham, John Moore, Earl Durbin, Charles Carson, Milfred Cross, Edward Doebrie, George Trump, William Garlick, Emma Bloom, Albert Stewart.

Room No. 5, Lillian Lint, John Schell, James Taylor, Ralph Youngkin, Charlie Weyant, Frank Keefer, Albert Tressler, Joseph Denko, Walter Moorman.

Room No. 6, Janet Durbin, Mollie Lee, Morfydd Lewis, Elsie Lint, Mabel Nicholson, Henrietta Shelkey, Eva Wolfarl, Ethel Youngkin, Florence Youngkin, Clara Herman, Archie Brown, Julius Crouse, Walter Debolt, Thomas Moore, Fred Shelkey, Parry Trump, Glazier Burkhart, Leroy May, Raymond Ringer, Annie Crouse, Hazel Trenberth, Gertrude McCarthy.

Room No. 7, Okie Nicholson, Lizzie Feathers, Grace Dye, Hazel Hetrick, Hazel Pierce, Sevilla Thomas, Eva Wagner, James Garlick, Robert Lee, Willis Sullivan, Harry Carson, Joseph Harbaugh.

Room No. 8, Clyde Gilpin, Robert Spackman, Max Moore, Herbert Shank, Hobart Fisher, Earnest Fisher, Elsie Williams, Georgiana Kern, Agnes Jamieson, Inez Trenberth, Helen Artzman.

Room No. 9, Clarence Sullivan, Edgar Evans, Ruth Sullivan, Jennie Sandles, Mabelle Hetrick, Edwinna Stamm, Laura Stafford, Alverta Mason, Effie Miller, Margaret Collins, Elizabeth Wornack.

Rock Ridge.

Room No. 1, George Buchholz, Harry Buckholz, Henry Oppman, Roy Shultz, James Warrick, Irvin Filburn, Frances Leighliter, Anna Taxacher.

Room No 2, Fred Fetto, Homer Shultz, Leo Oppman, Michael Taxacher, John Stillwagon, Robert Sanner, Edith Kooser, Eliza Filburn, Theresa Taxacher, Florence Oppman.

Washington.

Room No. 1, Emma Michaels, Sara Michaels, Lelia Gregory, Ethel Minor, Mattie Grasty, Lena Grasty, George Doppelhamer, Callie Gregory, Hazel Brown, Frank Doppelhamer, Charles Miner, Joseph Ramsridge.

Room No. 2, May Lambert, Lillie Lambert, Amanda Gregory, Alice Hopkins, Chester Means.

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NEW USE FOR ELECTRIC FANS.

They Will Help Heat a Building as Well as Keep It Cool.

The Electric Fan should not be stored away. Its services are as essential in winter as in summer. It can be used to advantage by placing it in the intake of a hot air furnace to force the circulation of hot air to distant rooms and to heat rooms quickly.

The breeze from an electric fan blowing through a radiator circulates the heated air and gives a more even distribution of heat and assists materially in quickly heating large rooms and halls.

The circulation of heat by the use of the electric fan saves a large percentage of fuel and is well worth trying.

LEGISLATORS LACK NERVE

To Put Corporation Tax in Constitutional Amendment Form, Says Spooner.

New York, Feb. 11.—Ex-Senator John C. Spooner told 600 members of the American Paper and Pulp association last night at the Waldorf that he did not believe there was a single senator or representative who would dare to put into the form of a constitutional amendment for submission to his constituents the provisions of the act for federal incorporation and the tax upon corporations.

An effort was being made, he said, to rely upon a new and dangerous construction of the constitution to encompass ends which were extra constitutional and which should only go before the people of the country in the shape of an amendment to the instrument of government itself.

Captain Sharp Dies.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Captain Alexander Sharp, United States navy, president of the board of inspection for shore stations, died at the naval medical school hospital from a complication of diseases following an attack of typhoid fever. He was fifty years old. Captain Sharp was naval aid to Colonel Roosevelt when the latter was assistant secretary of the navy.

MAN HUNT STILL CONTINUES

Slayer of Three Italians Remains at Large.

Washington, Pa., Feb. 11.—A coroner's jury decided that the three Italians slain in cold blood at Midway, near here, met death at the hands of John Marks and that Tony Puchney was an accessory to the crime. It was learned that the three Italians were not all against whom the fugitive foreigner is said to have made threats. Two others, who were principals in the feud that caused the triple crime, are believed to have escaped vengeance simply because they did not happen to be in the vicinity when the murderous work was started.

Word reached here that the two fugitives, Marks and Tony Puchey, had passed over into Toms run valley and were asking their way to an Italian settlement between Oakdale and Bridgeville, in Allegheny county, where Marks has many relatives.

BLIND MAN DEFENDANT

In Breach of Promise Suit Brought by Young Girl.

Honesdale, Pa., Feb. 11.—Seventy four-year old William F. Taylor of Hathoro, Pa., who is totally blind, was the defendant in a breach of promise suit in which evidence was heard here. The plaintiff is Josephine Olshefski, nineteen years old, of Prompton She demands $10,000 damages.

The girl says that she was employed in Taylor's family when he lived at Prompton and that he often asked her to marry him and, after she had consented, he broke his promise. Taylor declared that the girl was merely a servant in his house and that he never asked her to marry him.

GIVES $100,000 TO YALE

Alfred Vanderbilt Has Now Contributed $170,000 to University.

New Haven, Conn., Feb 11.—Yale university officials announced they had just received an additional check of $100,000 from Alfred G. Vanderbilt of New York. This is to go toward general university endowment and is part of a subscription of $250,000 for this purpose

Mr. Vanderbilt has thus far contributed $170,000 and plans to complete the amount before the close of the present fiscal year.

Leopold Gave Pope Big Sum.

London, Feb 11 A dispatch from Rome to the Globe says there is a report in Vatican circles that the late King Leopold of Belgium left 2,000,000 francs to the pope.

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Values up to $2.00.

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Consists of Shoes for Ladies, made of Gun Metal, Patent Colt and Vici Kid leather; also cloth top button, in Lace, Blucher or Button styles, with Good Year welts.

$3.50 and $4.00 values

$1.95

Lot No. 3

Consists of Shoes for Men, made of Gun Metal, Patent Colt, Russia Calf and Vici Kid leathers, in Lace and Button styles, with Good Year welts.

$3.50 and $4.00 values

$2.45

Lot No. 4

Consists of Shoes for Ladies, in plain toe or Patent tip, Blucher and Bal styles, with low or high heels; some fleece lined

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We have 40 Suits left, any colors and sizes you could desire.
$10.00 Suits .....$ 5.00
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$18.00 Suits .....$ 9.00
$20.00 Suits $10.00

LADIES' COATS.
In broadcloth, kersey, coverts in all colors and sizes.
$10.00 Coats .....$ 5.00
$18.00 Coats .....$ 9.00
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Your choice Ladies' Hats, ¼ to ½ off regular price.

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Petticoats .....39c Value 75c.

Ladies' Umbrellas .....98c Value $3.50.

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MEN'S OVERCOATS.
All styles and sizes, including those with auto collars.
$ 8.00 Overcoats .....$ 5.50
$10.00 Overcoats .....$ 5.50
$13.00 Overcoats .....$ 6.50
$16.00 Overcoats .....$ 8.00
$20.00 Overcoats $10.00

MEN'S SUITS.
In fancy blacks and blues.
$ 8.98 Suits .....$ 4.50
$10.00 Suits .....$ 5.00
$12.00 Suits .....$ 6.00
$15.00 Suits .....$ 7.50
$20.00 Suits $10.00
$25.00 Suits $12.50

Boys' Overcoats .....$1.98 Value $3.98.

Ladies' Fur Sets .....$4.50 Value $10.00.

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Child's Fur Sets .....98c Value $2.00

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PRINCETON'S HEAD, FIGURE IN BIG $1,000,000 ROW.

PRINCETON, N. J., Feb. 11.—Not since the Revolutionary war, when Nassau hall was wrecked and the college suffered other grievous damage, has Princeton been so upset as it is now over the withdrawal of the offer of William C. Procter of Cincinnati of $500,000 for a graduate college. The loss of the Procter half million means the withdrawal of almost $1,000,000 since other gifts aggregating nearly $500,000 were conditioned on the Procter donation The withdrawal by Mr. Procter is attributed to a difference between Woodrow Wilson, President of the University, and Mr. Procter and the graduate school committee of the university, headed by Moses Taylor Pyne, over the matter of a site for the proposed school. Mr. Procter is said to have wanted it placed on the golf course, a good distance from the main building of the university. Dr. Wilson favored a site nearer the main portion of the university.

Union Men Heavily Fined.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Martin B. Madden, former president of the Building Trades council; M. J. Boyle, official of the Electrical Workers' union, and Fred Pouchot, former business agent of the Metal Workers' union, were sentenced to pay a fine of $500 by Judge McSurely. A jury had found Madden, Boyle and Pouchot guilty of a charge of conspiracy.

THERE IS GREAT BIG BARGAINS AWAITING YOU

at Union Supply Company's stores, we are cleaning up, cleaning out, a thorough rummage sale. Every department in every one of our sixty-three large stores are offering the greatest bargains of the season. Perhaps there is a man in the family who needs a suit of clothes, perhaps a boy who needs a suit of clothes, perhaps the women or girls need new dresses or new coats, perhaps you want to buy underwear, hosiery, gloves or other warm clothing. It may be beds or bed clothing or perhaps household articles, all of these lines and many others will be offered to you now for a period of thirty days at one-half the actual value.

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Every member of the family can save money by purchasing their footwear now at the Union Supply Company's stores. It is most important to keep your feet dry and warm and here is your chance to avoid the outlay of money for doctor bills. Take time to go to one of our stores, you will find many opportunities for investment.

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FALLING HAIR.

Many People Have a Simple Way of Stopping It.

It was Dr. Sangerbond, of Paris, who first discovered that dandruff and falling hair were caused by a microbe.

And now that Parisian Sage, the remedy that kills the dandruff germ is sold in every town in America, the clean people of this country have awakened to the fact that dandruff is unnecessary, that falling hair and itching scalp can be quickly stopped, and that people who use Parisian Sage will never grow bald.

To every reader of The Courier who wishes to eradicate disgusting dandruff, stop falling hair, and have an immaculately clean scalp, free from itchiness, we say:

Parisian Sage is sold by druggists everywhere, for 50 cents a large bottle. It is an ideal, daintily perfumed hair dressing, free from grease and stickiness and will cause hair to grow lustrous and luxuriant. Sold and guaranteed by A. A. Clarke.

PITTSBURG MARKETS.

Butter—Prints, 33@35½; tubs, 32@33; Pennsylvania and Ohio creamery, 30@31.

Poultry (Live)—Corks, 9@10; ducks, 15@16; turkeys, 22@23.

Eggs—Selected, 35@36½; at mark, 35.

Herr's Island Live Stock.

Cattle—Supply light and market steady. Choice, $6.80@7; prime, $6.50@6.75; good, $6.25@6.50; tidy butchers, $5.80@6.25; fair, $5.25@5.75; common $4@5; common to good fat bulls, $3.50@5.75; heifers, $4@6; fresh cows and springers, $25@60.

Sheep and Lambs—Supply fair; market steady on sheep and lower on lambs Prime wethers, $6.50@6.75; good mixed, $6@6.40; fair mixed ewes and wethers, $5.25@5.85; culls and common $3@4; common to choice lambs, $6@8.80; common to choice yearlings, $6@9; veal calves, $9.50@10; heavy and thin calves, $7@9.

Hogs—Receipts of hogs were 20 double decks; market lower. Prime heavy hogs and mediums, $9; heavy Yorkers, $9@9.05, light Yorkers, $9.10@9.15; pigs, $9.15@9.20; roughs, $8@8.50; stags, $7@7.75.

DIDN'T MEAN TO OFFEND NATION.

Impossible for Pope to Receive Fairbanks, Says Falconio.

PAPAL DELEGATE DEFENDS ACT

Catholics Throughout World Regret Incident, Says Mgr. Falconio, But the Pope Could Not Offend "His Children."

Washington, Feb. 11.—Mgr. Diomede Falconio, apostolic delegate to the United States, in an interview here, discussed the refusal of the pope to receive former Vice President Fairbanks at the vatican

Mgr. Falconio said that the holy father could not have acted otherwise, and said that the pope did not wish to offend "his children," whether Catholic or Protestant, and upheld Archbishop Ireland in his declaration that the Methodist church in Rome proselyted unfairly.

The delegate went on to say that Catholics throughout the world regretted the incident. "But," he added in explanation, "there was nothing else for the holy father to do under the circumstances."

"The holy father," he continued, "takes pleasure in receiving men and women from all parts of the world if they come properly accredited, and by

MGR FALCONIO.
Apostolic Delegate to United States

that I mean if they have a letter from a bishop or myself. Of course, a man of the international reputation of Mr Fairbanks would not need such a letter because the pope knows of him and his work There is surely no foundation for the statement which has gone broadcast that one must act as a Catholic while in Rome if he may hope to be given an audience by the holy father."

The delegate then referred to the methods of Methodists in Rome and pointed to the fact that Archbishop Ireland was right when he said the means they adopted in proselyting Catholics were not honorable.

Thus, he said, he hoped it could be made clear to the people of the world that the holy father, in refusing to receive Mr Fairbanks in audience, had meant no offense to the great American nation, but that he could not continue his policies and receive a man, even though he be honored throughout the world, who persisted in addressing within so short a time thereafter a congregation which had attacked the work of the Catholic church with such vehemence as the Methodists have during their efforts in the eternal city.

THINKS HIMSELF VINDICATED

Dr. Cowles Says Court-Martial Should Never Have Been Held.

Boston, Feb. 11.—"I believe that I have been vindicated of the charges which were made against me," said Dr Edward S Cowles, who was the complainant in the recent court-martial at the Charlestown navy yard in an interview "I have received letters of commendation and approval from 90 per cent of my Massachusetts friends and associates They all say the same thing They believe I was wronged, but that it has all come out right

"The whole affair need never have happened if those concerned had been a little more reasonable and less hasty There was nothing to cause such a fuss. I am sorry for it all. You know a man can stand slander, but it hurts a woman That is what I regret."

SOUTH POLE DISCOVERED?

French Expedition Returns, But Is Silent as to Success.

Buenos Ayres, Feb 11 - The steamship Pourquoipas of the French south polar expedition, headed by Dr J B Charcot, was spoken to by the steamer Soul which has reached Punta.

The Soul was refused news of the result of the expedition The report spread here that the Frenchman had actually discovered the south pole The silence was taken to mean that their trip had been so successful they were awaiting a more favorable time to make announcement of the result

GOING DEEPER.

Others Besides Allds Involved in New York Legislative Scandal.

Albany, N. Y., Feb 11.—State Senator Benn Conger is the principal witness today in the trial of Senator J. P. Allds, charged by Conger with accepting a $1,000 bribe in connection with killing certain bridge legislation, which came up in the state legislature in 1901.

Pending investigation in the town of Groton and other places regarding the past life of Deacon Moe, the third man in the Allds-Conger bribery controversy, Martin W Littleton rested in his cross-examination of Moe. Moe is the man who claims to have handed Allds the envelope containing the bribe money. He also testified that two other assemblymen were bribed at the same time.

Counsel for Allds indicated openly that the names of the two other assemblymen alleged to have received $4,000 and $1,000 respectively of the Conger bribe money would be made public.

The prevailing opinion is that the veil of secrecy hanging over the two men associated with Allds in the alleged bribery of 1901 would have to be moved aside and every detail in connection with that transaction laid bare.

DR. HYDE ARRESTED.

Physician Accused of Swope's Death Held in $50,000 Bail.

Independence, Mo., Feb. 11.—Dr. B C. Hyde was arrested on a warrant charging first degree murder in connection with the death of Colonel Thomas Swope. Dr. Hyde, with his attorneys, was waiting at the criminal courts building in Kansas City for the deputy to arrive from Independence with the warrant Dr Hyde gave bond in the sum of $50,000. The hearing is set for Feb 17.

The sureties on the bond are M. D Scruggs, vice president of the Kansas City Live Stock Commission company; F. P. Neal, president of the Southwest National bank and Herbert Hall, president of the Hall-Baker Grain company. Frank P. Walsh, John M. Cleary and John D. Lucas, attorneys for Dr. Hyde, joined in signing the bond, which was twice as large as was suggested by Prosecuting Attorney Conkling

Attorney Frank Walsh, in behalf of Mr. Hyde, dismissed the libel suits against the Pulitzer Publishing company, John G. Paxton, Dr. E. L Stewart and Dr. Frank J. Hall.

LOST TO PRINCETON.

Trustees Sustain Wilson in Rumpus Over Procter Gift.

Princeton, N J., Feb. 11.—The board of trustees of Princeton university sustains President Woodrow Wilson's attitude toward the William Cooper Proctor gift. A special committee of five trustees, after having considered all the facts, presented a report to the full board and the board adopted it unanimously.

This report obviously is designed to quiet the rumpus that has been raised over the withdrawal by Mr. Proctor of his $500,000 and the loss to Princeton of about $500,000 additional that had been subscribed by other alumni. The committee made no attempt to settle the issues that have stirred up all the trouble and the Princeton faculty factions are in as deep discord now as they were before the trustees' meeting.

This Proctor gift row is admitted by all Princeton men to be the most serious that ever confronted the university. It has divided the alumni and has stirred up a lot of bitter feeling in the university faculty.

TAFT HAS MESSAGE.

Will Deliver an Important Speech on Saturday Night.

Washington, Feb. 11.—President Taft's speech at the annual dinner of the New York Republican club at the Waldorf-Astoria next Saturday night will be in the nature of a message to the big financial and industrial interests of the country

While the president will adhere to what he has said in previous speeches and his special messages he will endeavor to make it clear that he has not started to run amuck in the business world.

It was explained that, while the speech would not afford comfort to illegal combinations of capital, there was nothing in it to make the legitimate business combinations shiver with fear.

COURT CIRCLES IN FLUTTER

Czar's Brother Takes Morganatic Wife; Nick Is Angry.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 11.—An indignant flutter has been caused in court circles on its becoming known that Grand Duke Michael, the czar's only brother, who, until the little czarevitch was born, was heir to the throne, has secretly married a lady who, during her adventurous career, has been divorced three times.

The grand duke's attachment for her has been known for some time, but a morganatic alliance was not suspected by the public until today, although it was apparently known by the imperial family. The czar is reported to be very angry over the affair

Watchman Burns to Death.

Crisfield, Md., Feb. 11.—J B. Collins, a watchman for the Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic railway company, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed the wharf of that company. The loss is estimated at $30,000.

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SENATOR BORAH PESSIMISTIC

Idaho Member Sees No Hope at All For Constitutional Amendment Proposition, Taking Gov. Hughes' Action For His Remarks.

Washington, Feb. 11.—In the senate Senator Borah of Idaho, speaking in support of an income tax, and more particularly to his resolution directing the senate judiciary committee to report to the senate whether the amendment, if adopted, would authorize congress to lay a tax upon incomes derived from state bonds and other municipal securities, or the salary of state officers or other property in the state, expressed the opinion that the income tax amendment to the constitution submitted to the states for ratification would be defeated.

He said great and powerful influences are at work to prevent the necessary ratification by three-fourths of the state legislatures and made particular reference to the criticism of the proposed amendment recently advanced by Governor Hughes of New York.

Senator Brown of Nebraska differed with the senator from Idaho and advanced the opinion that the American people would arise to the occasion and ratify the action of congress in proposing an amendment to the constitution for the levying of an income tax.

Senator Bailey of Texas said that he was one of those who believed that congress had the right to levy an income tax by legislative enactment and that he did not give his consent to the adoption of a constitutional amendment to accomplish this result until forced to do so by the majority favoring the principle.

He declared that what has been done could not be changed, and, this being the case, he thought it unwise for friends of the income tax to give emphasis by discussion and debate to the criticisms of those who are hostile to the proposed amendment to the constitution.

SCATTERS MONEY ON TRIP

Mrs. Sage Has Given $150,000 to Charity in Three Days' Journey.

Galveston, Tex., Feb. 11.—In a three days' journey through Texas Mrs. Mrs. Russell Sage, who says she is on her way to California, made contributions to charity amounting to about $150,000

The little town of Uvalde got $20,000 for an orphan asylum, $25,000 was given for a hospital fund at El Paso Brackettville sanitarium got $15,000 a school fund at Pecos recived $15,000, a sanitarium at Boerne $10,000 and a half dozen other hospitals and asylums over the state got from $1,000 to $3,000 each.

YOUNG ROOSEVELT ENGAGED

Oldest Son of Ex-President to Marry Miss Eleanor Butler Alexander.

THEODORE ROOSEVELT, JR.

New York, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Henry Addison Alexander has announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eleanor Butler Alexander, to Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., oldest son of former President Roosevelt

Mr. Roosevelt said that Colonel Roosevelt, his father, did not yet know of the engagement and did not even know that there was to be an engagement. He had just cabled his father he said, telling him all about it. The former president knew of their friendship and approved of it. Mrs. Roosevelt, his mother, had given her approval before announcement was made. The marriage will not take place until Mr. Roosevelt returns from Africa

INQUIRY IS BROADENED

Employes of Supposed Independent Beef Firm Before Grand Jury.

Chicago, Feb. 11.—The federal grand jury inquiry into the so-called beef trust was suddenly broadened when employes, former and present, of Sulzberger & Schwarzchild, the supposed independent concern, were summoned.

The government will attempt to learn from those witnesses whether the so-called independent concern is all that it pretends to be. The government officials have information that this firm for months had been the arbiter of prices in the meat market. The subpenaing of these witnesses was the result of a letter received by District Attorney Sims from an anonymous source.

Trolley Car Goes Over Bank.

Massillon, O., Feb. 11.—As the result of an interurban trolley car becoming derailed at Navarre, near here, while enroute to Canal Dover one man was seriously injured, while the twenty passengers suffered from bruises and shock. The car jumped the tracks and plunged twenty-three feet down an embankment.

Hotel Guests in Panic.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Fire in the Hotel Harris, near the Union station threw 100 guests into a panic. Three of them, Orville A. Henry of Berwick Pa., and his wife and child, leaped from a third-story window. They were seriously injured.

SACRIFICED BY SUGAR TRUST.

Spitzer Declares That He Is Being Made the Scapegoat.

WILL SPEND TWO YEARS IN JAIL

The Former Refinery Superintendent Makes Statement in Which He Declares the Sugar Trust Has Deserted Him—Trial of Heike is Begun.

New York, Feb. 11.—Oliver Spitzer, the former refinery superintendent of the sugar trust, who was convicted last December of complicity in the weighing frauds, was sentenced by Judge Martin in the United States circuit court to two years in the federal prison at Atlanta.

Before Spitzer left for Atlanta in charge of a deputy marshal he made a statement in which he said that he had been made the scapegoat for the sugar trust.

Spitzer's statement in part follows:

"As I stand upon the prison threshold I find myself absolutely deserted by the sugar trust They deserted me when I was arrested and they desert me now. And this after having served the trust faithfully for twenty years. It was in 1890 that I first went to work for the trust as a boy and finally rose to the position of dock superintendent. Reports have fixed my salary at ridiculously high price, when, as a matter of fact, I actually received but $55 a week.

Sacrificed by Trust.

"The truth of this whole matter is that the government cried for a victim and the trust sacrificed me and the four poor $18 a week checkers, who are now serving a year on Blackwells island."

As soon as sentence had been pronounced on Spitzer Judge Martin opened court for the trial of Charles R. Heike, secretary of the holding company of the sugar trust, the American Sugar Refining company of New Jersey, and secretary and treasurer of the New York company. Heike was indicted on charges of defrauding the government out of customs duties on sugar and of overt acts in signing checks for the short payments.

FOWLER MAY SUCCEED ELLIS

Attorney General Thinks Tennessee Man Will Fill the Bill.

Washington, Feb. 11.—President Taft is considering the appointment of James A. Fowler of Tennessee as assistant attorney general in the department of justice to succeed Wade H Ellis, who has resigned to become chairman of the Republican state executive committee of Ohio

Mr. Fowler has been connected with the department of justice for two years. The attorney general has made it known that he desires to get a man who is thoroughly capable of taking up the work of trust prosecution where Mr. Ellis leaves it Fowler, it was said, would fill the bill.

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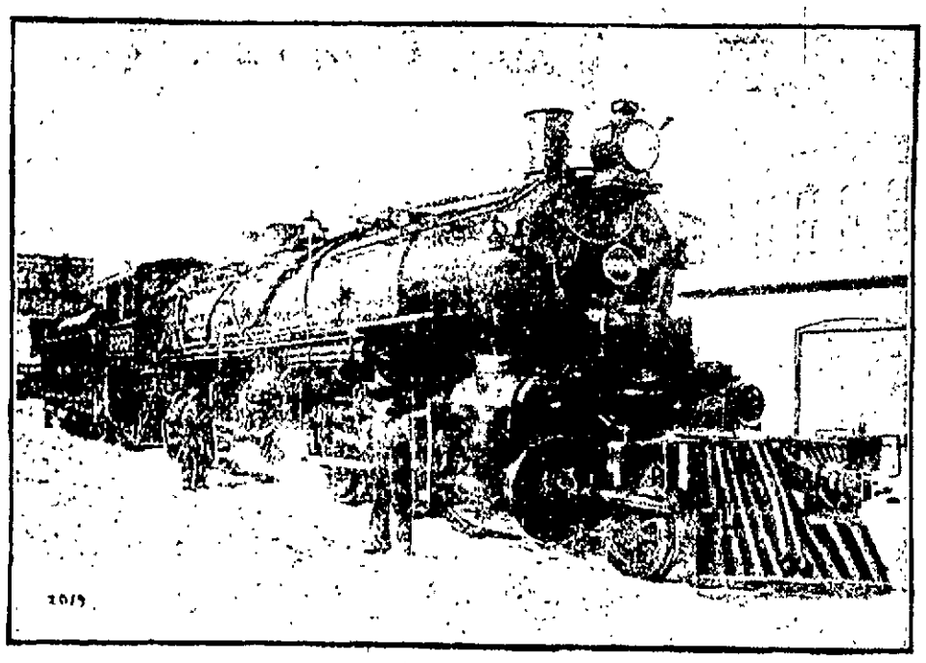

ST. PAUL, Feb. 11.—A few days ago there emerged from amid the din of steam hammers, riveting machines, lathes and turners in the Great Northern's St. Paul shops a long, rakish monster, shining with new black paint and bright with brass trimmings and polished steel; on the boilerhead in bold white letters was the number "2019."

As it ran out from the sidetrack on to the main line and started on its journey toward the Union depot yards it attracted unusual attention for two reasons: It was the largest engine in the world and it was built in St. Paul by the Great Northern railway.

The engine is of the type known as the "Mallet Articulated Compound." This is a type that originated in Germany and was adopted for the first time in this country by the Great Northern railway for the purpose of hauling enormous loads over the heavy grades encountered in the Rockies in Montana and the Cascade mountains in Washington.

The performance of these engines attracted the attention of other motive power experts with the result that in a few months the Great Northern Railway received a request to loan to the Pennsylvania railroad one of their big compounds for experimental work in the east. In a try-out on the Pennsylvania's Tyrone division, on a maximum grade of 1.02% this engine did the work of two consolidation locomotives with only one-fifth more coal consumption than one consolidation engine, which established a new record for economy in motive power. So successful did it prove that the eastern road is said to be considering the adoption of the Great Northern standard freight engine.

The locomotive constructed at the St. Paul shops was patterned after other Mallet engines which have been in use for several years on the Great Northern railway. The total length from pilot to rear end of tender is 92 feet. The total weight of engine and tender is 448,000 pounds, with a tractive power of about 60,000 pounds, and will haul from 100 to 120 fifty-ton cars on level track.

The engine is built on the plan of a tandem bicycle, there being two sets of cylinders, the front and the back. The back or high pressure cylinders receive the direct steam and the front or low pressure cylinders use the steam after it has left the high pressure cylinders. The back engine has four pairs of driving wheels and the front three pairs. The wheels are 55 inches in diameter. The cylinders of the back engine are 22x32 inches and the cylinders of the front engine 32x32 inches. The locomotive as it stands cost $30,000 and was built under the supervision of G. H. Emerson, superintendent of motive power of the Great Northern at St. Paul. Mr. Emerson has been in the employ of the Great Northern since a young man, having started in as a fireman in 1881 and working up to his present high position. The performance of this engine will be watched with great interest and if it does the work it was designed for in a satisfactory manner it is possible that the construction of others will follow.

TRUXTON KING

A Story of Graustark

By GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON

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King shuddered.

"Night is coming. I must say farewell, my bold young friend. My way lies to the north. This is merely a land of promise to me. You go southward, to the city of Edelweiss. But not through the gates; oh, no! There are other ways, as you will find. Goodby, my brave Sir Galahad. I may never see you again."

"FAREWELL, MY BOLD YOUNG FRIEND."

With a courtly bow he turned from the tense muscled captive and directed his final instructions to the guards. With a curt nod to the men, he strode out through the mouth of the cave and was gone. Dusk had settled down upon mountain and valley. One of the men cut the rope that bound Truxton's feet.

"Get up," said the Newport man. "We've got to be movin'."

Still gagged and somewhat dizzy, King was hurried off into the narrow mountain path, closely surrounded by the five men.

The silent, cautious march down the valley, through the gap and along the ridge carried them far into the night. This much he knew—they were in the hills directly above the northern gates. The vague, black shadow of a lightless house loomed up before them. In a twinkling he was hustled across the road and into a door, then down a flight of stairs, through pitchy darkness, guided by two of the men, a whispered word of advice now and then from the Yankee saving him from perilous stumbles. He was jerked up sharply with a command to stand still. A light flashed suddenly in his face, blinding him for a moment.

Soon he saw that they were in a broad, bare cellar; three men in heavy black beards were in earnest conversation with several of his captors; all were gesticulating fiercely.

His Newport companion enlightened him between a puff of the pipe he was struggling with. "Here's where we say goodby, young fellow. We turn you over to these gents, whatever they are. You go into the village gay with them 'swells' by the sewer line, I guess." Truxton pricked up his ears. "The old man has had a hole chopped in the sewer here, they tell me, and it's a snap to get into the city. Not very clean or neat, but it gets you there. Well, so long! They're ready, I see. They don't monkey long when they've got a thing to do."

In another moment his guardianship was transferred; he was being hurried across the cellar toward an open doorway. Down a few stone steps he was led by the bearded crew, and then pushed through a hole in what appeared to be a heavy brick wall. He realized at once where he was. The gurgle of running water came up to him. It was the great sewer that ran from the hills through the heart of the city, flushed continuously by a diverted mountain stream that swept down from above.

He did not know how long they traversed the chill sewer. In time, however, the water got deeper; rats began to scurry along the sides of the circle or to swim frantically on in front of the disturbers.

At last the strange journey ended. They came to a niche in the slimy wall. Up into this the men climbed. The man above was cautiously tapping on what appeared to be solid masonry. To King's surprise a section of the wall suddenly opened before them. He was seized from above by strong hands and literally jerked through the hole, up narrow steps and then into a long, dimly lighted room, in the center of which stood a long table.

He was passed on into a small room adjoining. Some one, speaking in English, told him to sit down. The gag was removed from his stiff, inflamed mouth.

"Fetch him some water," said a voice that he was sure he recognized—a high, querulous voice.

"Hello, Spantz!" articulated Truxton, turning to the black bearded, bout figure.

There was an instant of silence. Then Spantz spoke, with a soft laugh: "You will not know so much tomorrow, Herr King. Give him water, man. He cannot talk with a dry throat."

King was pushed out into the larger room, where he was confronted by a crowd of bewhiskered men and snaky eyed women with most intellectual nose glasses. It required but a glance to convince him that the whiskers were false.

For nearly an hour he was probed with questions concerning his business in Edelweiss. Threats followed close upon his unsatisfactory answers, though they were absolutely truthful.

"We'll find a way to make you talk tomorrow, my friend! Starving is not pleasant."

"You would not starve me!" he cried.

"No. You will have the pleasure of starving yourself," said a thin eyed fellow whom he afterward knew as Peter Brutus.

He was thrown back into the little room. To his surprise and gratification the bonds on his wrists were removed.

He found a match in his box and struck it. There was no article of furniture. The floor was bare, the walls green with age. A chimney hole in the ceiling was perhaps the only means by which fresh air could reach this dreary place. Sleep was claiming his senses. He made a pillow of his coat and stretched his weary bones upon the relentless floor.

"No one will ever know," he murmured, his last waking thought being of a dear one at home.

CHAPTER XI.

UNDER THE GROUND.

THE second day after his incarceration began King was given food and drink. It was high time, for he was almost famished. Thereafter twice a day he was led into the larger room and given a surprisingly hearty meal.

Peter Brutus had just voiced the pleasure of the majority by urging the necessity for physical torture to wring the government's secrets from the prisoner. King, half famished, half crazed by thirst, had been listening to the fierce argument through the thin door that separated the rooms. He heard the sudden, eager movement toward the door of his cell and squared himself against the opposite wall, ready to fight to the death. Then there came a voice that he recognized.

A woman was addressing the conspirators in tones of deadly earnestness. His heart gave a bound. It was the first time since his incarceration that he had heard the voice of Olga Platanova, she who still must be his friend.

"No! You shall not torture him. I have said he is no spy. I still say it!" she was exclaiming.

"God, girl, we cannot turn him loose now. He must die." This was from Spantz.

"We cannot release him, I grant you," she said, and Truxton's heart sank. "Not now, but afterward, you. When it is all over he can do no harm. But hear me now, all of you. If he is harmed in any way I shall not perform my part of the work on the 26th. This is final."

"You cannot withdraw!" exclaimed Peter Brutus. "You are pledged. You are sworn. It is ordained."

"I, Olga Platanova, say this to you. It is not a plea, not a petition; it is an ultimatum. Spare him or the glorious cause must suffer by my defection."

"Sh! Not so loud, girl! He can hear every word you say!"

"Let him hear. Let him know that I, Olga Platanova, am to hurt the thing that is to destroy the life of Prince Robin. I am not afraid to have him know today what the world will know next week. Then the world will say that Olga Platanova was not a beast, but a deliverer, a creator! Let him hear!"

The listener's blood was running cold. The life of Prince Robin! An assassination! "The thing that will destroy!" A bomb!

For half an hour they argued with her, seeking to turn her from the stand she had taken. Then they came to terms with her. Truxton King owed his life to this strange girl, who knew him not at all, but who believed in him.

Truxton was brought into the room a few minutes later. He was white with emotion as he faced the committee of ten. Before a word could be addressed to him he blurted out:

"You cowards! Weak as I am, I would have fought for you, Miss Platanova, if I could have got through that door. Thank you for what you have done to convince these dogs! Only don't do this awful thing! Think of that dear little boy!"

Olga Platanova cried out and covered her eyes with her hands. She was led from the room by William Spantz. Peter Brutus stood over King, whose arms were held by two stalwart men.

"Enough!" he commanded. "We spare you not for her sake, but for the sake of the cause we serve. Hear me! You are to be held here a prisoner until our plans are consummated. You will be properly fed and cared for. You have heard Miss Platanova say that she will cook the food for you herself, but you are not to see her."

King interrupted him. "I haven't the least doubt that you will kill me in the end. She may not be here to protect me after—after the assassination."

"She is prepared to die by the same bomb that slays the prince," was all that Brutus would say in response to this, but King observed the sly look that went around among them. He knew then that they meant to kill him in the end.

Afterward, in his little room, he writhed in the agony of helplessness. The prince, his court, the government—all were to be blasted to satisfy the end of this sickening conspiracy. Loraine! She, too, was doomed! He groaned aloud in his misery and awe.

There was a telegraph instrument in the outer room. He could hear it ticking off its messages day and night and could hear the discussion of reports as they came in or went out. It soon became clear to him that the wire connected the room with Marlanx's headquarters near Balak, in Axphain, a branch instrument being stationed in the cave above the witch's hut.

On his third night he heard the committee discussing the conditions at the castle.

"The count is more afraid of this man Tullis than of all the rest," averred Peter Brutus. "He has reasons to hate and fear the Americans. That is why he desires the death of our prisoner. He has said time and again over the wire that King will in some way escape and play the deuce with our plans. It does not seem possible, however. We have him absolutely secure."

"This is the 22d; Saturday is the 26th. Nothing could be done to stop us in four days," said one of the women.

"Count Marlanx will be ready on the 26th. He has said so. A new strike will be declared on the railroad on the 25th, and the strikers will be in the city with their grievances. Saturday's celebration will bring men from the mountains and the mines to town. A single blow, and we have won." So spoke Brutus.

"We must not—we cannot fail," grated William Spantz, and the cry was reiterated by half a dozen voices.

The next morning, after a sleepless night, Truxton King made his first determined attempt to escape.

He knew that two armed men stood guard in the outer room day and night. The door to the stairway leading into the armorer's shop was of iron and heavily barred; the door opening into the sewer was even more securely bolted. Besides, there was a great stone door at the foot of the passage. The keys to these two doors were never out of the possession of William Spantz. One of his guards held the key to the stairway door. His only chance lay in his ability to suddenly overpower two men and make off by way of the armorer's shop.

When his little door was opened on the morning of the 23d Truxton King's long, powerful figure shot through as if sped by a catapult. The man with the candle and the knife went down like a beef, floored by a blow on the jaw.

The American, his eyes blazing with hope and desperation, kept onward, to find himself face to face with Olga Platanova!

"HE HAS NOT THE KEY!"

She was staring at him with frightened eyes, her lips apart, her hands to her breast. He turned.

"He has not the key," she cried, "nor have I. You have no chance to escape. Go back!"

A key rattled in the door. When it swung open two men stood in the aperture, both with drawn pistols. The girl leaped between them and the helpless, defeated American.

"Remember!" she cried. "You are not to kill him!"

Peter Brutus had risen from the floor, half dazed, but furious. He made a vicious leap at King, his knife ready for the lunge.

"I'm glad it's you!" roared King, leaping aside. His fist shot out, and again Brutus went down.

"Miss Platanova, call your uncle," she was ordered. "It is now necessary to bind the fellow's hands. They are too dangerous to be allowed to roam at large in this fashion."

All day long Truxton paced his little prison, bitterly lamenting his ill timed effort. Now he would be even more carefully guarded. His hands were bound behind his back. He was powerless. If he had only waited! Luck had been against him. How was he to know that the guard with the keys had gone upstairs when Olga brought his breakfast down? It was fate.

The 23d dragged itself into the past, and the 24th was following in the gloomy wake of its predecessors. Two days more! He began to feel the approach of madness. His own death was not far away. It would follow that of the prince and of Olga Platanova, his friend. But he was not thinking of his own death; he was thinking of the prince's life.

Forty-eight hours! That was all!

Early that night as he lay with his ear to the crack of the door he heard them discussing his own death. It was to come as soon as Olga had gone to her reward. She was not there to defend him. Spantz had said that she was praying in her room, committing her soul to God. Truxton King suddenly pricked up his ears, attracted by a sentence that fell from the lips of one of the men.

"Tullis is on his way to the hills of Dawsbergen by this time. He will be out of the way on the 26th safe enough."

"Count Marlanx was not to be satisfied until he had found the means to draw him away from Edelweiss," said another. "This time it will work like a charm. Late this afternoon Tullis was making ready to lead a troop of cavalry into the hills to effect a rescue. Santa Maria! That was a clever stroke! Not only does he go himself, but with him goes a captain with 100 soldiers from the fort. Ha, ha! Marlanx is a fox—a very exceptional fox!"

Tullis off to the hills with soldiers to effect a rescue! Truxton sat up, his brain whirling.

"A wise fox!" agreed Peter Brutus thickly. "I wonder what our fine prisoner will say to it when the new prisoner comes to keep him company over the 26th."

(To Be Continued.)

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"Zola," said a psychologist, "once wrote in a lady's album that his favorite amusement was writing and his favorite wish a sudden death." Zola died suddenly. "And it is a strange thing," said the phychologist, "that those who prefer a sudden death usually have their preference gratified."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

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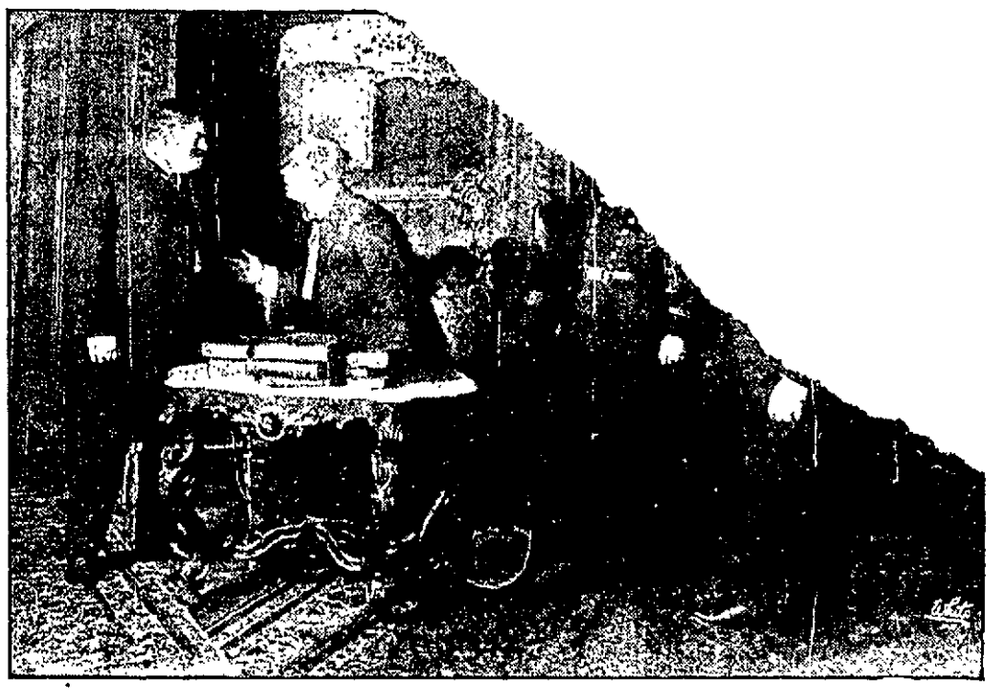

A Scene from the "Third Degree" at the Soisson Tonight.

THE SOISSON.

"The Third Degree" Tonight.

The great play by Charles Klein "The Third Degree" will be at the Soisson theatre tonight. It is the story of a girl of the people who marries the scion of an aristocratic family, for which she and her husband suffer social ostracism. At a momentous period she shows her worth by her unerring devotion and unselfish affection, thwarting the efforts of corrupt officials in their endeavor to make an innocent man the victim of misplaced justice.

Marion Kerby, in the role of the girl, illustrates the highest reach of emotional acting and that the selecting of Miss Kerby for this part was a master-stroke for Mr. Harris, the producer, was best shown by the excellent criticisms accorded her work.

George Sumner, as Brewster, is admirably fitted to the part and gives a sterling performance.

A. W. Ellis, about whom little can be said that is not already known, in the part of Captain Clinton, who, with tireless energy for seven long hours subjects his victim to a torture than can only be compared with those of the Spanish Inquisition again demonstrates his value as an actor of unusual ability.

Gladden James, as the accused, offers a splendid an interpretation of the boy who is an hypnotized subject as has ever been seen in a theatre.

"The High Rollers."

A musical review of a 1910 calibre is what the "High Rollers" promise at the Soisson theatre next Tuesday night Feb. 15. An organization of pretty girls and clever comedians and music of a whistleable and catchy nature are some of the important parts of the entertainment. Election returns will be read from the stage.

"Buster Brown."

It is rather hard to say anything new regarding the merits of an enterprise which everybody is so familiar with as they are with "Buster Brown" because of the intelligent care and attention to detail and completeness of the production generally, there is left no room for criticism. Only words of praise can be used in speaking of the company for this season. The simple announcement that "Buster Brown," "Tige" and "Mary Jane" will be at the Soisson theatre, matinee and night, Wednesday, Feb. 16, with a big new edition will be sufficient to interest all theatre-goers, both young and old. They will crowd the house and enjoy a good laugh seeing "Buster," "Tige" and "Mary Jane" their ever welcome favorites, supported by a bunch of pretty misses.

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The following have had fewer than ten tardy marks during the month:

Fourth Ward—Grades 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2.

South Side—Grades 9, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.

Second Ward—Grades 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2A, 2B.

Third Ward—Grades 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8

West Side—Grades 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7A, 7B, 8

Greenwood—Grades 1, 2.

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THE SATURDAY EVENING POST

for February 12th devotes its editorial page to this subject, showing the injustice of the recommendation to raise the rate on all *magazines* and *periodicals*—but *not* on daily papers or the country weeklies.

One fact: In the year ended June 30th, 1908, the weight of second-class matter compared to 1907 *de*creased 18,000,000 pounds. The postal expenditures *in*creased $18,000,000. There is something in it besides second-class matter.

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